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## NEWTON.

—Pianos, Farley, 433 Washington St., N. —Mr. R. F. Harden has returned from Castine, Me.

—Mr. Hiram Leonard of Newtonville avenue, has returned from Lubec, Me.

—Fine watch and clock repairing at W. A. Hodgdon's, 326 Centre street.

—Mrs. P. J. McNichol has returned from her summer outing.

—The Archdeaconry of Lowell is to meet in Grace church, Thursday, Oct. 3rd.

—Mr. J. T. Lodge and family have returned from Swampscott.

—Mr. George Agry and family have returned from Westboro.

—Mrs. Loveland of Hollis street has returned from North Chatham.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bacon leave Saturday for the White Mountains.

—Mr. F. O. Barber has been too ill to leave his room for the past three days.

—Mr. Sweet has rented his new house on Eldridge street to a family from Boston.

—Mrs. Bradford L. Crocker, Jr., and Miss Crocker of Fairview street are in Brookline for a few days.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Greenough have returned from a visit at Kennebunkport, Me.

—Mr. J. M. Blake has purchased a fine lot on Hunnewell Hill, and intends building a house and stable upon it.

—Mr. Thomas Weston and son returned on the steamer Cephalonia, which arrived on Sunday.

—Mr. Charles F. Rogers, Jr., left Tuesday for a two weeks' vacation at Holderness, N. H.

—Mr. J. R. W. Shapleigh of Newtonville avenue has gone to Halifax, for a brief visit.

—Two pleasant sunny rooms to rent without board. Apply to Mrs. Monroe, corner of Centre and Richardson streets.

—Councilman Mitchell Wing and his son are spending the week at Sandwich, visiting Mr. Wing's parents.

—The 40th anniversary of Grace church will be celebrated Sept. 29th, Bishop Lawrence is to preach the sermon at night.

—The engagement of Mr. Walter Hart of this city to Miss Louise Collins of Buffalo, N. Y., is announced.

—Mr. Justin Whittier and family, Dr. Jewell and family and Mr. S. Wells Holmes and family returned Tuesday from Osterville.

—Dr. Reid's little daughter is ill at their seaside home with scarlet fever. On page 4 the doctor makes an announcement to his patrons.

—Mrs. Ellen B. Cutler, formerly Miss Pelton, a teacher in the Bigelow school, will receive pupils for piano instruction at her home, 11 Maple avenue, after Sept. 16.

—Mrs. Edward Kent and Miss Lillian Kent, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Ford of Waverley avenue, have returned to their home in Syracuse, N. Y.

—Waltham was the great centre for bicyclists on Monday, and wheelmen were there by the thousands to see the races.

—Mr. Charles S. Sumner goes to Atlanta for a month, to superintend the Columbia exhibit at the exposition. He was in Newton over Sunday with the Columbia team that appeared at the Waltham races.

—It looked as if vacation was really over when such large congregations in Grace church came together last Sunday. The vestal choir was present in good number, and sang beautifully. Dr. Shinn preached at both services.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Sipe of Trinidad, Colorado, are visiting Mr. W. H. Whitney on St. James street. Mr. Sipe is a Knight Templar and came to attend the Knights' meeting in Boston last week. They will remain for several weeks.

—Howe's block is to be moved. It is said, to the rear of Cole's block, while the work of separating the grade crossing at Centre street is going on, and when completed will be moved back. Arrangements have been made with Mr. Bacon for the temporary use of his land. What the occupants will do during the moving is not stated.

—Music in Grace church, Sunday evening, Sept. 8. Processional, "O' was a joyful sound to hear." Magnificat, Kimmins. Sanctus, Kimmins. Anthem, solo and chorus, "O come let us worship." Hallel. Recessional, "Son of my Soul Thou Saviour dear." Seats free to all.

—The Newton colony at Essex returned this week. They included Dr. E. B. Hitchcock and family, Mr. A. W. Fuller and family, Miss Alice Angier, Mr. J. Henry Bacon and family, Mrs. Mary Fuller, Mrs. Corey of West Newton and Miss Farley of Auburndale. They were located on the different islands, near the mainland.

—Two attempts at highway robbery were made Tuesday night on the road between Watertown and Brighton, but in the second attempt the band fell into the hands of policemen. There were five of them, all young men, and one gave the name of William McLeerie of Newton, aged 21 years. The address is probably a fake. The other four were residents of Brighton.

—Among the many beautiful decorations in Boston during the Knight Templar convocation, none were more unique than those in Copley Hall, Clarendon street. Emory Leverett Williams, formerly of Newton, had many painted panels, the best of which, a large decorative figure, symbolical of Welcome was taken by the Detroit Commandery, to their western home city, where it will make one of the decorations of the new Masonic Temple being erected there.

—Dr. Bartlett's bear furnished some very interesting stories for the Boston papers, and people were described as fleeing in all directions where he appeared, and a vivid picture given of his progress through Newton to Nonantum. The stories were very thrilling ones, and caused the readers to have a pleasant thrill, as they thought of the dangers they had escaped. Stripped of all imaginary details, however, the facts are that the bear, a small cinnamon one from Florida, broke his chain sometime between 4 and 4.30, Saturday morning. He was chained all right at 4 o'clock, but at 4.30, when the doctor started for his morning ride, he was missing. Dr. Bartlett followed him and found him on St. James street, lying down and half frightened to death by a small dog that was valiantly barking at him from behind a fence. Getting on the other side of his bearship, the doctor drove him home with a rush, and he could not have been gone more than twenty minutes. At that unearthly hour in the morning Newton streets are not crowded with people, and the bear was not seen by a soul, as far as can be discovered. How the fact of his appearance on the street became known, is one of the mysteries which would take a Sherlock Holmes to unravel, and unfortunately he is dead. The bear wears now a new chain, warranted to last as long as the bear.

—Mr. Frank and Mrs. William Briggs have returned from the Cape.

—Mr. S. L. Powers and family have returned from Center Harbor, N. H.

—Dr. C. E. Dearborn of Jewett street has gone to Lake Champlain for a brief visit.

—City Treasurer Kenrick's family have returned from Maine.

—Mr. F. H. Nichols of the Hunnewell is at the Wayland Inn, this week.

—Mr. Thomas C. Phelps is spending the week at his home in New York city.

—Dr. Arthur Hudson is at North Farm mouth for a two weeks' vacation.

—Mr. E. C. Huxley and family have returned from Sugar Hill, N. H.

—Mrs. Geo. Cutler has leased part of the Brackett double house on Baldwin street.

—Mr. J. E. Stevens has removed from the Tucker house on Church street, to St. Botolph street, Boston.

—Mr. Andrew B. Cobb and family have returned from Swampscott and are now at the Woodland Park, Auburndale.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hamblen and family are to return soon from their North Scituate summer resort.

—Rev. James de Normandie of Roxbury will preach at Channing church next Sunday morning. Services at 10.30.

—Mrs. J. Q. Henry and the Misses Henry returned this week from their summer at the mountains.

—Miss Thayer of Waverley avenue has given up housekeeping, and will live with her aunt on Commonwealth avenue, Boston.

—Mr. A. W. Fuller and family are staying at Mrs. Sanborn's, Kenrick Park, a few days, before opening their house on Newtonville avenue.

—Messrs. Fred. L. Trowbridge and Joseph Lovell of West Newton have gone to Chicago on their vacation, and will return by way of the lakes.

—Services in the Immanuel church were resumed last Sunday. The pastor will preach on Sunday morning on the topic "The Strength of the Hills." Bible school at 11.45. All are welcome.

—The summer quiet of Centre street was disturbed by a runaway horse, Wednesday morning, which wrecked the carriage to which he was attached, and also cut himself badly. No one was injured.

—Mr. H. W. Blodgett and family return to Newton, today, having stopped on their way home from the Adirondacks, to attend the wedding of Miss Abigail T. Seelye, daughter of President Seelye of Amherst, to Dr. Chas. L. Souder of Boston.

—Music at Eliot church Sunday, September 8, at 7.30 p. m. Organ Prelude, Anthem, "For it became Him," King Soprano solo, "Adore and be still," Gounod Tenor solo, "Whosoever drinketh," Field Organ Postlude, Guilman

—Mr. S. A. Gregg has succeeded his late father, Alexander Gregg, in the undertaking and embalming business at the old location, 14 Salem street, Watertown. His services may be secured at all hours, by telephone or by personal application.

—Meadowbrook carts are hardly safe for ladies to drive, unless the horse is absolutely sure-footed and fearless. A young lady was thrown from one yesterday, by the stumbling of the horse, and received some bad bruises, but fortunately was not seriously injured.

—The stationary engineers of Waltham, Newton and Watertown have formed an organization named the Normandy Association. The president is Hiram McLaughlin of Watertown; recording secretary, William Otto; financial secretary, Charles F. Green; corresponding secretary, Nelson M. Young. The charter closes Sept. 8.

—Miss Elizabeth Welch and James Hennessey were united in marriage last Sunday afternoon at the parsonage residence on Washington street, Rev. J. F. Gileather officiating. Miss Catherine Welch, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. John Hennessey of Manchester, a brother of the groom, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Hennessey after spending their honeymoon in New York, will reside on Boyd street.

—Residents of the Newtons are so accustomed to apply to Messrs. Banks and Sons of Newton, when they require awnings or canopies for weddings and receptions, it is no wonder these gentlemen find their orders constantly increasing. They have now added to their already varied stock a large garden party tent, 55x22 1/2, under which at least 700 people can be gathered.

—A number of the property owners along Washington street, whose houses have been seized by the city, are said to have already expressed their desire to settle on the upward scale, which they consider satisfactory. After thinking it over the great majority will doubtless come to the same conclusion, as the city has really been very liberal. As it does not seem probable that the business section will be disturbed for a year or more, there will be no immediate demand for new stores, and by the time they are needed, they will probably be ready, although the prices asked for some of the vacant land in the business section will prevent any immediate building upon it.

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## HARD WOOD FLOORS.

INFORMATION ABOUT THEIR CONSTRUCTION AND CARE.

Quartered White Oak Said to Be the Very Best Material—How to Wax and Polish. They Do These Things Better in England Than We Do in America.

It is only a few years since advocates of the house beautiful began to preach in favor of hard floors, and there is now hardly a village in the country where this doctrine of health and beauty has not penetrated. Yet every one who has discarded carpets and adopted hard wood floors has found some drawbacks in the way. In nine cases out of ten the floor is simply shellacked, often without previous filling, and every scratch of the bootheel shows on its surface. The wood is soon laid bare and permanently stained, or perhaps the wood is oiled with clear oil which has not been properly rubbed in. The residue gums on the surface and collects dust and debris, and altogether the hard wood floor, which has been well laid by the carpenter, is a source of discomfort and disappointment.

European housekeepers suffer from none of these disadvantages because they try none of these experiments. The European floor is a floor of parquetry. It is made by gluing together thick slabs of hard wood on a pine backing, a method by which they obtain a stronger and more durable floor than when a thick floor of hard wood alone is used, for every builder knows that the best door is not one of solid hard wood, but one of two thicknesses of hard wood over a pine core. These doors are naturally more expensive, because they are more trouble to make. So the veneered floor is more durable, though a very excellent floor may be laid in hard wood seven-eighths thick over a rough floor of pine, providing the wood has been properly seasoned. Or a thinner floor may be laid over a perfectly level floor of pine.

Builders recommend quartered white oak as the very best material for floors. This is a western wood and costs about \$100 a 1,000 feet in this state. Maple and birch, which are much cheaper woods, also make excellent floors. Native birch, which may be bought in this state as low as \$40 a 1,000 feet, is a very hard, smooth wood, and makes a very durable kitchen floor which does not slip like Georgia pine. Narrow boards, measuring about two inches or less laid, make a most desirable floor. The skillful carpenter matches his joints with faultless precision, planes and scrapes his floor and polishes it down with hard wood shavings after it is laid, as well as finishing it before. When this is properly done, hardly a joint is visible, and it is then ready to be filled.

It is this process that is so often neglected and upon which so much depends. It should be a thoroughly trustworthy wood filler, purchased from a dealer whose name is a guarantee for his goods. These fillers usually come by the pound, often in paste form, and may be thinned to a proper consistency with turpentine. It is applied to the wood with a brush, and all that remains on the surface is polished off with hard wood shavings or excelsior. This filler is allowed to dry about 12 hours, when a coat of wax is applied, or of prepared oil if you prefer it. Where oil is used it should be thinned with a certain amount of "drier."

The best wax is a preparation of turpentine and beeswax, properly melted together, and is kept by all dealers in parquetry floors. The chief mistake that amateurs make is to apply this wax too generously. An expert in this matter says that a pound of wax ought to cover 300 feet of surface. After the wax is applied and rubbed in with a weighted brush it should be allowed to stand for awhile and a second coat applied before the floor is used.

A great many American families attempt to take care of a hardwood floor without a brush. This is a waste of much laborious energy. The work can be accomplished by the use of a brick wrapped in flannel and then in cotton, but it cannot be properly accomplished except by a strong man, while an ordinary servant can readily yield the 22 pound brush, which sells in our shops at from \$3.50 to \$4 and with care will last many years. It should be passed first across the grain of the wood. Then the floor should be vigorously polished with the grain of the wood.

Finally a piece of old carpet is laid down and the floor is polished under this. A properly cared for floor should be polished with the brush once a week. It should not be re-waxed oftener than once a month or once in two or three months, according to the amount of wear on it. After a certain period of time it may be necessary to scrape the floor and apply some kind of restorer, though this should be hardly required unless the floor has been improperly dressed.

Of course the best way of polishing such a floor is in the foreign fashion, with a brush attached to one foot of a robust man, who goes skating about until the surface gleams like marble. But this method is not often possible in this country except in those households where there are foreign menservants.—New York Tribune.

## In a Hurry.

"It's a rapid age," said the big policeman thoughtfully. "A terribly rapid age. Everybody's in a hurry." "What's the matter now?" inquired the man who was waiting for a street car. "Why, we've got the trolley car, haven't we?" "Yes." "And the cable car fender?" "To be sure." "And the cigarettes?" "Quite so." "And yet you read in the papers every day about people so blamed impatient that they go and commit suicide."—Washington Star.

## OFFICIAL WHIPPING.

How Boy Criminals Are Punished by Thrashing in England.

Boys who are found guilty of minor offenses in England are sentenced by the judges to a sound thrashing at the hands of the policeman. Here is a description of it taken from an English paper:

The birch is a very different instrument of torture from the cat. The former is made up of a number of long birch twigs, while the latter is really a whip with nine knotted small cord lashes. When the cat is administered, the prison doctor must be present, but when the birch is put on it is only necessary for the inspector or superintendent of police to witness it, although the parents or near relatives of a boy sentenced to be flogged may be present at the castigation. When a dose of the cat is dealt out, none but those connected with the prison are allowed to be there.

Like the cat the birch may be made a very severe punishment or a comparatively trivial affair, not merely according to the number of strokes, but from the instructions given the constable who is told off to do the flogging. I have seen a boy after six strokes resemble nothing so much as a piece of raw beef and bleeding fearfully, while I have also seen a boy after six strokes merely a trifle red.

Some policemen dread the duty of flogging, and after the first two strokes get a sharp order to "hit the boy and not play with him." Other constables delight in the work and boast of their ability to draw blood at the first stroke.

Various modes of administering the punishment obtain in different parts of the country. In some places boys are placed face downward on a form. One constable holds his arms and head firmly, while another does him the same service with his legs, and the third administers the punishment.

In other prisons the culprit is placed on a constable's back, and as he sits there with his arms around the officer's neck, awaiting "the event," his attitude strikes a spectator more as one of affection than discomfort. Another way is to compel a boy to lean over a chair as if he were praying, then run a strap right around his legs and the legs of the chair, a constable holding his head and arms from the other side.—Brooklyn Eagle.

## THROUGH OTHER EYES.

Life at Harvard College From the English Point of View.

The student life of America is eminently an American institution. It has grown up in an odd compound of native manners and foreign influences, which form an essentially new product. It is a good deal more complex in its organization than anything known on the isle or the Cam. There is more details in it, and consequently less breadth of effect.

The university organizations are innumerable. Men are banded together in college clubs for every conceivable purpose of study or amusement. Their bond of union may be their attempt to talk Greek with the accent of modern Attica, or it may be only a passion for dominoes, but it has all the notes of institution in its machinery of committee, president and secretaries. Great variety of life comes from the differences in fortune among the students, but of late years there has been a laudable attempt on the part of the university and college authorities to introduce a more uniform simplicity. Plain living is the cry, and with this secured it is believed the thinking will take care of itself.

At Harvard some time ago Professor Palmer tried to discover how far the living had departed from the philosophic standard by asking some hundreds of students for a return of their annual expenditure. The answers showed that Harvard at least had nothing to be ashamed of. Many of the students, less than a fourth, spent less than £130 a year; some less than £100. The average probably did not amount to the £200 a year which the professor regards as an entirely adequate allowance for both ease and refinement. Yale is less costly than Harvard, so these institutions at least are not open to the reproach that they have introduced the millionaire into American university life.—London News.

## The Duke of York's Baby.

There is a report that the Duke of York's baby is deaf and dumb, but everybody will hope that it is not true, and that the royal suckling will talk and hear as well as anybody when the time comes. If not, the disability will not be without its alleviations. Only a few of his line have said anything good or heard anything good of themselves in six generations. One of his successors earned this epitaph, which he may deserve whether he talks or not:

Here lies Prince Fred,  
Who was alive and is dead.  
Had it been his father  
I had much rather  
Had it been his brother  
Sooner than the other.  
Had it been his sister  
There's no one would have missed her.  
Had it been his whole generation  
All the better for the nation.  
But as it's only Fred,  
Who was alive and is dead,  
There is nothing to be said.  
—New York Tribune.

## A Trick of the Huntsman.

During a visit to Montana a prominent Chicago gentleman went with a party just starting for a grand "hunt for big game in the Yellowstone region." He remarked to the leader, "You cannot hunt in Yellowstone park." "Oh, no," said the leader. "We go outside the limits of the park, and if the game won't come to use we know how to manage to make it come." Such excursions are not uncommon, and it will not be strange if hungry Indians should occasionally imitate their white brethren.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

## Too Dense For Him.

Stage Villain—Aha! The plot thickens.  
Disgusted Auditor—Then I'm off! Can't make head or tail of it now, and I'll never see through it if it gets any thicker.—London Tit-Bits.

## DO FISHES TALK?

Here Is Testimony From a Man Who Thinks They Do.

We have heard of the language of monkeys, and of the language of hens, and of the language of crows, and even of ants, but it will be a new idea to most people, probably, that fishes have a language of their own. An English fisherman, Mr. Basil Field, has been making some investigations that lead him to suppose that fishes have some way of communicating a notion of their experiences to other fishes.

Mr. Field carried on his experiments in the fishponds of Mr. Andrew, at Guilford, England. Those ponds are full of trout, which, at the time when Mr. Field first visited them, were so little accustomed to being troubled that when he threw a baited hook into the water all the trout in sight—a great number—rushed eagerly upon it. He caught one, and removing it from the hook, threw it back into the pond.

Then he put in a freshly baited hook, and only two or three trout came after it. One of these he caught and threw back into the water. Again he resumed his fishing with a newly baited hook, and this time, although the pond was swarming with fish, it was only after a long time that he lured another trout to his bait. And after a little further time it was entirely impossible to catch a trout in this pond.

However, by experimenting in another pond equally well stocked and not throwing back any fish Mr. Field found that he could catch trout as long as he chose. The fish did not seem to understand that the removal of one of their number by this strange means meant danger to them, but came continually to the bait.

If Mr. Field reasons, it is only when the captured fish, released, goes back and mingles with his fellows that the danger is learned, and then is learned instantly, it must follow that the released fish has some means of making the others understand the perils of the hook. This, whatever it is, may be called a "language."—Fortnightly Review.

## NO HURRY IN NORWAY.

People Take Their Time There and Wonder at Yankee Visitors.

These Norwegians are a wonderfully patient people, says a correspondent. They never hurry. Why should they? There is always time enough. We breakfast at 9 o'clock. Monsieur goes to business at 10 or so, and returns to his dinner, like all the rest of the Scandinavian world, at 2:30. We reach coffee and cigarettes at about 4, and then Monsieur goes back to his office, if he likes, for two or three hours. We sometimes see him again at supper at 8:30, but usually there is a game of whist, or a geographical society lecture, or a concert, or a friend's birthday fete (an occasion never overlooked by your true Norwegian), or some one has received a barrel of oysters, and would not, could not, dream of opening them without champagne and company—masculine company only. It seems to me that there are entirely too many purely male festivities here. In fact, the men say so themselves and that they would really enjoy many of the occasions much more if ladies were present. But "it is not the custom of the country" (a rock on which I am always foundering) to omit or to change in such matters. Monsieur only does as do all the other men of his age, which is elderly, and condition, which is solid.

There is a curious feeling concerning America over here in one way and another. Morgenbladet, the chief conservative paper, an organ locally of the first importance, keeps a sort of horror chamber of Americana. The reason is, I suppose, that in these very dark and troublous political times, when not only the union but the monarchy itself is threatened and tottering, the conservative interest thinks it dangerous to allow any virtue to appear in a republic, and especially in ours, the most flourishing, and therefore the most pernicious, example of that invention of evil bred.—San Francisco Examiner.

## Animals in Laibach's Earthquake.

An observer of animal life has collected (our Vienna correspondent says) a number of notes upon the behavior of animals during the earthquake at Laibach. A railway guard observed that some minutes before the first shock was felt his owl, chained to a toothbrush, cried as if for help, and he was with it when the earthquake began. Some forest guards observed hares running, as if for their lives, up a hill before the first shock. Partridges flew a long distance. A gentleman who spent the night of Easter Sunday in a carriage saw the pigeons and hawks on a tower flying round it every time that a shock was near. Sparrows and redbreasts also fluttered about and seemed to overcome their fear of men. The most excited of all were the horses. They trembled long before a shock occurred, and some fell on their knees and sides. The dogs howled the whole night. When a shock was near, their cries were so strange that they struck the ear as something not heard before.—London News.

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## ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING.

Its Recent and Rapid Development Upon the Continent.

Before a recent meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers Mr. H. Ward Leonard delivered an interesting address upon electrical engineering developments in France and England as contrasted with those in America. In its commercial development of electricity America is placed first—in fact, far in advance of the old world countries—but considered from an engineering standpoint Mr. Leonard thinks the United States is losing the lead it has thus far held. He lays the responsibility for this condition of affairs almost entirely at the door of the great electrical monopolies, which have stood in the way of progress, and particularly in preventing the trial of devices and systems of which Europe presents varieties unknown to us. He questions what has been done in this country in the way of electrical engineering development since Edison started his three wire lighting distribution at Sunbury, Pa., in 1883, and Westinghouse established his alternating system with 1,000 volt primary and 50 volt secondary a few years later, and Sprague started the Richmond electric railroad in 1887. There has of course been great extension of installation along these lines.

We have, Mr. Leonard says, the best three wire central station plants in the world. Also the best alternating system, converting from 1,000 to 50 volts, but we have practically no other kind of central station to point to. We are operating 500 volt continuous current electric railways at distances for which 2,000 volts should be used instead of 500, and after investing more money in copper per car than the entire cost of the electrical equipment we still lose twice as much energy as is commercial in the line. In England in alternating systems a three wire secondary is used with 100 volts on each side, and, according to Mr. Leonard's view, there was no excuse except patents for a 50 volt two wire secondary originally, and none save the inertia and prejudice of a large corporation for continuing to put in the two wire secondary today.

Rotary transformers are used in several stations in England for a continuous current, high potential multiple arc distribution, the secondary being a three wire system, and some American inventions not patented in England are found to have been utilized in central stations there, while they have been neglected in the land of their inception.—Providence Journal.

## A Frog With Four Wings.

The curiosity of tropical Africa is the wonderful flying frog, first described by Bishoff of the equatorial African expedition, which returned to Europe in the fall of 1894. This oddity of the reptile family is about the size of a common bullfrog and resembles other members of the order of batrachians in everything but its feet, each of which is webbed and enormously enlarged, so much so as to form splendid substitutes for true wings. The creature has five toes on each of the other two, which makes four separate membranes on each of its hind feet and three on each fore foot, or 14 in all. In his description of it Bishoff says, "Each leg terminates in a sort of fan, and with these the little reptile paddles the air like a locust, or like a partially fledged bird testing its pinions for the first time."

Although somewhat awkward in its flight, the winged frog can dart through the air at a speed of about ten yards per second and can keep itself going forward at that rate for from 10 to 15 seconds. The average distance covered by these spurs of grasshopperlike flight is from 75 to 125 yards, but Bishoff mentions instances where the flying frog cleared sandy stretches 200 yards in width.—St. Louis Republic.

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## Treatise.

The word treatise has undergone an odd modification. At first it was applied to such disquisitions of roots or other substances as were deemed beneficial in medical practice. Then, as these were frequently sweetened, it came to mean any sweet concoction or confection, and lastly, as molasses was the sweetest of all, this name was exclusively applied to sirup.

## The Small Brother Again.

Mr. Courtney (flatteringly) "I had the blues when I came here tonight, Miss Fisher, but they are all gone now. You are as good as medicine." Miss Fisher's Little Brother—Yes; father himself says she'll be a drug in the market if she doesn't catch on to some fellow soon.—Philadelphia Times.

An Irishman, quarreling with an Englishman, told him if he didn't hold his tongue he would "break his impetuous head and let the brains out of his empty skull."

The sun throws vertical rays on the earth's surface only upon an area equal to about 35 square miles at any one time.

In 1870 the Thames froze solid and a fair was held on the ice. It was kept open for nine weeks.

## THE BLUES.

Why do Women have the Blues more than Men?

Are not women naturally as light-hearted, brave, and hopeful as men? Yes; but woman's organism is different from man's.

Women in perfect or good health are rarely victims of the blues, because their peculiar ailments promote them. When the female organs fail to perform their functions properly, when the dreaded female complaints appear, there is shown nervousness, sleeplessness, faintness, backache, headache, bearing-down pains, etc., causing the dreaded "let-me-alone" and "all-gone" feelings.

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## Legal Notices.

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## Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage-deed given by George F. Higgins and Annie A. Higgins his wife in her right to the Cape Ann Savings Bank dated May 13th 1892 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib 2177, Folio 598 for breach in the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on the morrow (Friday) on Tuesday the Seventeenth day of September A. D. 1895 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon all and singular the premises described in said mortgage namely all that parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of the City of Newton in the County of Middlesex called Newton Upper Falls containing sixty acres and six hundred and ten square feet more or less and bounded as follows: Beginning at the most northerly corner of the granted premises at land late of Moses Crafts and running South about 18° East as wall stands by said Crafts land two hundred and fifty-three feet to bound at a contemplated street forty feet wide, sometimes called Thurston Road; thence southwesterly by said street three hundred and thirty-seven feet to a corner; thence North 9 1/2° West by land formerly parcel of Lewis Hurd one hundred and nineteen and one half feet to a corner at a ledge of rocks; thence turning and running by a broken line and hind now by E. S. Smith, Pelrose north-easterly about three hundred and fourteen and one half feet to the point begun at. For title of said Annie A. Higgins see deed of said G. F. Higgins dated January 21st 1892 and duly recorded and a release from Frederick W. Gates recorded with said mortgage.

The said premises are the same described in said mortgage deed and are to be sold as aforesaid together with all buildings and equity of redemption subject to any unpaid taxes.

Terms two hundred dollars in cash at time of sale and when other terms will be announced.

CAPE ANN SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.

GEO. E. HOWE, Attorney,  
23 Court St., Boston.

## Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John T. Wells, Junior, to Sewall P. Barker dated May 17th, 1881, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex (Dist. 1) Book 1577, Page 525 and duly assigned to the subscriber, will be sold at public auction, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the Second day of October, 1895, at 4:30 o'clock, in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described substantially as follows:—A certain parcel of land situated on the Northeastly side of Waban Park in Newton, being that part of lot numbered 2 shaded in red on a plan drawn by E. S. Smith, Surveyor, dated May 21, 1880 duly recorded, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Western corner of said lot by land of one Taylor, thence Southeastly by said Waban Park, 75 feet; thence turning and running Northeastly by land now or late of Sewall P. Barker, 81 feet; thence turning and running Southeastly again by said land of Barker, 5 feet; thence turning and running Northeastly by said land of Barker, 62 1/2 feet to land of Nicholson; thence turning and running Northeastly by said land of Nicholson, 83 1/2 feet to said land of Taylor; thence turning and running Southeastly by said land of Taylor, 139 1/2 feet to Waban Park the point of beginning. Containing 1100 square feet according to said plan. Subject to the conditions set forth in the title deeds, so far as the same are now in force and applicable.

Said premises will be sold subject to said conditions and to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments. For further particulars inquire of Kern & McLeod, No. 23 Court Street, Boston, Room 213. \$100 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Balance in ten days from day of sale at 12 o'clock noon, at the said office of Kern & McLeod.

FRANK A. DAY, Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage. Boston, September 30, 1895.

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## CITY GOVERNMENT.

ALDERMEN CONSIDER HOW TO MOVE BUILDINGS WITHOUT INTERFERING WITH WIRES.

A special meeting of the board of aldermen was held Tuesday evening for the purpose of drawing jurors.

The meeting was called to order at 7:45 and the following communications were received.

A petition from Geo. H. Elder for permission to move a building from the north side to the south side of Washington street. Considerable difference of opinion prevailed as to the best time for moving the building, when it would least interfere with the electric light wires, and the petition was placed on file.

A petition from Geo. E. Stuart for permission to build a sewer on Cabot park roadway; referred to committee on sewers.

A petition from Jesse C. Ivy, that Washington street be widened to a uniform width of 85 feet from Channing street to Centre street, was referred to committee on streets and highways.

The following jurors were drawn for the Superior Court: Eugene L. Clark, Lenox street; Leighton Calkins, Bellevue street and James E. Huntress, Summer street.

An order was passed authorizing the water board to add an addition to the pumping station according to the plans of the city engineer, cost not to exceed \$1000.

An order was passed authorizing the water board to lay 190 ft. 6 in. pipe on Alden street, Ward Six; 280 ft. on Fairfax street, Ward Three; 200 ft. on Eddy street, Ward Two; 230 ft. of 4 in. pipe on Beach street, Ward One. Total cost to be \$962.

A petition was received signed by E. Bradshaw asking permission to move a building from the south side of Washington street to a lot of land at the corner of Washington street and Washington terrace. Considerable discussion ensued. Alderman Green being of the opinion that as the moving would interfere with the Telephone Company's cable, the electric light wires and especially with the trolley wire of the railway company, a committee should be chosen from the board to confer with the street railway company and make some arrangements relative to moving said building. The matter was laid on the table as the board could arrive at no definite decision.

A petition was received signed by Wm. Claffin, asking permission to build a wooden frame addition to a house on Walnut street near Washington, said addition to be used for commercial purposes. The ordinance requires that such an addition shall be constructed of brick, with metal or slate roof and metal gutters, and leave was granted to Mr. Claffin to withdraw his petition.

James C. Melvin petitioned for a street light on Highland street, West Newton. Referred to committee on street lights.

Meeting adjourned at 9 p. m.

## ST. JOHN'S CARNIVAL.

MANY THOUSANDS FROM OTHER VILLAGES PRESENT AT LOWER FALLS.

For the first three days this week, Newton Lower Falls was the centre of attraction for the neighboring towns, on account of St. John's carnival held under the management of Rev. John P. Callanan of St. John's church.

It was opened Sunday night by Sergt. Ryan of the Newton police force, who gave his lecture on the Custer Massacre, a report of which is given elsewhere.

Over a thousand people listened to the thrilling narrative of his military career from the opening of the civil war to the day of his discharge from the service in Sept. '76. The chief interest centered around the Custer massacre, and Ryan was greeted with a burst of applause when he drew from his pocket a silk guidon taken from an Indian who fell by a bullet from his own rifle. He exhibited photographs of Custer, Cooke and of Sergt. Miles O'Hara, the first man to fall in the battle. Father Callanan introduced Sergt. Ryan and read the commission papers when Ryan was promoted to a Sergt., and the character given him in his discharge papers was "a brave, honest, and trustworthy first Sergt."

Labor Day was taken up by the athletic sports. The most important ones being tug-of-war contests, won by Brookline team, prize, \$25.

Boys' 120 yd. dash, Wm. Brown, prize, silver mug.

Ladies and girls ball driving match, Julia Donlon, prize, gold thimble.

Pole vaulting, Edward Kimball, prize, set of silver nut picks and cracker.

Throwing 25-pound shot, T. Holden, prize, silver spoons.

Throwing 10-pound shot, T. Holden, prize, solid silver butter knife and sugar spoon.

Band concerts by the Garden City band were enjoyed by the 10,000 visitors during the day, and the dancing continued till dark.

Tuesday evening the carnival continued with all the features of Labor Day, and further efforts will be made in the near future, so that Dec. 18th of this year will be a day of jubilee for pastor and people of St. John's, Newton Lower Falls.

This effort is being made by the people of St. John's church to honor the 15th anniversary of Rev. P. H. Callanan's ordination, which will take place on Dec. 18th next.

Father Callanan announced early in July that the church was still burdened by a \$3,000 debt, and that he would like to celebrate the anniversary of his ordination by seeing the church property free from debt. The people took him at his word and this carnival is the first step toward accomplishing the end.

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[Written for the GRAPHIC by Edwin Fiske Kimball of West Newton.]

## UNCLE SIMON'S FIRST SCHOOL.

PART I.

"And have you always taught school in Boston, Uncle Simon?" "Oh, no, I began my teaching way down in the backwoods of Maine when I was about twenty years old. I spent almost a year there in different schools, and I don't believe I shall ever forget my experiences. They are as vivid when I think of them as if they occurred yesterday."

"There must be some difference between that beginning and your present position, uncle," said Howard, the older nephew, an earnest lad, nearly ready for college. "Do tell us about that part of your life, oh, please, Uncle Simon," coaxed sweet Margaret, the oldest niece. "Yes, something true," chimed in thoughtful Alice. "Something funny," shouted rollicking Ned. "Three cheers for a story right out of Uncle Simon's head about his own self," chirped little Dora, the golden-haired pet of all.

"Well, I see I am in for it; so let's all get comfortably settled, and I will tell you about my first school."

It was indeed a happy group which arranged itself quickly around the glowing hearth in Uncle Simon's sitting-room. At his invitation, his widowed sister with her boys and girls had come to spend the Christmas holidays, and a merry time already the genial old gentleman had directed. But romping games, however jolly, did not compare with the charm of sitting close around Uncle Simon, gazing into his kindly face, and listening to his stories, for which the hours between supper and bed time were all too short.

With Dora on one knee and Alice leaning against the other, with Ned, Margaret and Howard not far away, and with the quiet mother over by the centre lamp darning Ned's ever-needy stockings, Uncle Simon begins.

"It all happened a good many years ago, as you can reckon for yourselves when I tell you I was then not quite twenty. I had graduated from college and had been reading law for some months, when I found my health breaking down and knew I must drop books for a while or be wrecked before leaving harbor."

"As soon as my college chum and room mate, Horace Adams, who lived way 'down east' somewhere on the St. Croix river, learned how poorly I was, he sent me a cordial invitation for me to come and see him, to stay till spring, and, during the winter, to go into the woods and cut cordwood, in short to have a genuine country life. The offer was tempting and I made arrangements to go. I wasn't rich in those days, I assure you, and it took about a week to get to the place, but I was glad to leave the city and the crowded streets of New England."

"But I mustn't make too long a story of it, for I have promised to take you to my first school, and there will be enough about that experience to last a good while after little toes should be tucked between blankets, eh, Dora?"

"Oh, mamma, can't I hear the whole story?" pleads Dora. "Yes, indeed, unless Uncle Simon talks too late."

"You needn't worry, Dora, I'll try to crowd months into minutes and watch for sleepy eyes. Where was I? At Eastport, where Horace met me at the wharf with his sleigh. He drove me fifteen miles along the river to his home and right royally he and his family entertained me. Soon afterwards, daily, out in those grand old woods, red-bent with balsam, we swung our axes. I learned to love the swish and crash of the trees as they fell after sturdy blows had cut to their hearts. By maple-sugar time, I felt my former vigor returning. I had cut my half-cord a day in the woods, had helped to load the ox-wheeled, and had learned to drive the oxen over the drifts of snow, through winding roads, up and down the steep hills to the farm house yard."

"People now-a-days, if there's anything the matter with them go to Florida or California for the winter, but for a sure cure of worn-out nerves give me the bracing air and hard work of the Maine woods."

"Sleep is there sweet and deep, and appetite is something to make housekeepers tremble. In two months, I was strong and well, but with a lean purse. What should I do? I was on the point of returning to Boston when an acquaintance of Horace, by the name of Thomas Farmer, came with the question whether I would take the district school over in his town of Pondville for a month to finish out the winter term. The wages would be thirty dollars for the month, and board would be provided in some family in the neighborhood. The prospect was very attractive, both for a modest income and for an experience in teaching the young ideas. It matters little where you begin a career, children; the main thing is to begin and discipline your powers."

"I decided to try it and agreed to be over by Friday night, so that on Saturday there would be time for the examination by the school committee and a general survey of the field."

On that Friday, Horace and I were busy till late in the afternoon, and, after an early supper, started in the sleigh to drive the dozen miles or more, over the hills to Pondville. I low to reach that ride. The weather was mild, for it was early in March, though the country lay deep buried in its winter mantle of snow. The road wound through the dark pine and hemlock forest, yet now and then emerged on some hill top, from which on every side stretched the great wilderness with its rolling green interspersed with broad lakes, frozen and glistening.

"The sun soon set and solemn twilight came stealing into the woods, half hiding the tree-trunks, and finally our narrow path. Deeper grew the gloom, and strange noises came out of the stillness as of distant wolves. Suddenly the trees ahead flushed with a mellow light, and a sharp rise in the road revealed behind us the moon, full, and rising gloriously framed between the tops of two gigantic pines. That was a picture which will never fade from my memory."

"In the welcome light, we toiled up a large hill, from the top of which we looked over into the valley where was built the hamlet of Pondville. There it lay in the quiet moonlight, the farm houses and barns dark against the snow, the frozen lake beyond gleaming brightly; all a scene of peace."

"As I gazed, little did I know that many of those roofs covered hearts ranking with mutual hate and bitterness, or that upon me, an utter stranger, would fall the full fury of a neighborhood war."

"We went to the home of Thomas Farmer and there spent the night. Horace left me the next morning with a hearty 'God be with you!' and returned."

"The town of Pondville was a little farming and lumbering community on the skirts of that untravelled wilderness of woods and lakes in eastern Maine. Not a church building existed in the town, and the school house, which seemed destined to be my empire, serving all public purposes, for religious services as well as for town meetings."

"My host, Thomas's father, told me some facts of the school situation, which rather opened my eyes. It seemed that for years a bitter feud had existed between the allied Farmer families and those of the Woodmans. The bone of contention had ever been the management of the village school and the quarrel had culminated that week in the discharge of the old pedagogue, a relative of the Woodmans, by the recently elected school committee, a majority of whom were Farmers. An exciting town meeting just before had given control of the school to the Farmer party, and they had acted decisively and now proposed to hire some one who could teach by modern methods and in advanced subjects."

"Thus had I been sent for, and, for the good of the children, was I exhorted to stand firm and depend on them to be behind me in every legal right. I could see that the fires of passion, always smouldering, were now in fierce blaze, and shrink from encountering the flames."

"But as the Farmer party certainly had the interests of the young people at heart and were legally and morally in the right, I resolved to undertake the school and trust that my peaceful disposition and high motives would disarm the enmity of the Woodmans, should it manifest itself against me."

"That morning I was examined in several branches of knowledge by three elderly committee men, who aimed their limited stock of information in their questions on abstruse parts of grammar and arithmetic, and about remote places of the earth. Whatever my answers, they gave me their certificate of inability to teach and instructed me to open and keep the school the following Monday morning, giving me the key to the building."

"Curiosity to see the outside and inside of my school building, as well as an anxiety to make all needed preparations for a successful start, led me to go that afternoon, under the guidance of one of the Farmer boys, over to the 'Seat of war'."

Standing in a clearing in the woods, probably in the centre of the sparsely settled district, was a one-story plain structure, rude but in good repair, and even bearing a little belfry toward the road end of the roof.

"Inside, I found a good-sized room, containing several cross rows of long wooden desks, for which were plank seats, the desks behind forming the backs. A great cylindrical iron stove stood in each front corner, capable apparently of warming and perhaps of roasting. Long stove-pipes, measured to a single chimney, A few painted boards served as a primitive blackboard. Of maps, apparatus, or reference books, the room was bare, the scholars and teacher evidently depending wholly on the few text-books which were scattered about. On a small platform stood a table, and for the master of the school, a master in name if not in fact. How different it all appeared when those seats were thronged with scholars, the first morning. But I mustn't anticipate."

"Finding a well-worn broom, I swept the room and entries thoroughly, and with a dull axe and my jack-knife cut a supply of kindlings and shavings and prepared in the stoves for quick fires on Monday."

"You see, children, I began on the lowest round of the ladder; but the true question is not what work one does but how it is done."

"After lifting up the room as well as I could, I was ready to go to my boarding place. My guide took me down the road to the first house and introduced me to the family as 'the new teacher.' They proved to be Farmers also, and under their rough exteriors were warm hearts. For my lodging, I was given a small room close under the eaves, more like a closet than a bedroom, and meagrely furnished. As I lay awake for hours thinking over the past and the future, the prospect did seem discouraging. I fell asleep saying to myself, 'Courage Simon, more courage, my boy, life is at best a test and here you will be tested indeed.'"

[CONCLUDED NEXT WEEK]

## Nonantum beats Waltham.

The Newton Veteran Firemen may well feel proud of their victory over the Watch City Vets on Monday. The parade was a grand success, some 3,500 men being in line, and in the afternoon came the play-out, twelve of the best engines in New England taking part. The Newton men took third prize, making a score of 203 ft. 8 1/8 in., and the Waltham Vets made 7 inches less, a stream 208 feet, and Natick came second with 206 ft. 8 1/8 in.

Cross winds hindered all the engines from making big plays. The distance thrown by each of the engines in their playing order:

Butcher Boy, Braintree	185 2 1/2
Boston Vets	174 4
Fire King, Waltham	174 4
Foundry & Mill, N. H.	158 6 1/4
Watch City, Waltham	203 1 1/8
M. A. Pickett, Marblehead	162 6 1/2
Roanoke Vets	158 3 1/8
Nonantum, Newton	203 8 1/2
Hancock, Hyde Park	160 8 1/8
Natick, Brunswick	208
Natick, Natick, R. I.	206 8 1/8
Quansigamog, Hopkinton	202 10

The prizes aggregated \$500, which were won as follows: First class engines, Niagara, Brunswick, Me., first; second, Natick, Natick, R. I.; third, Nonantum, Newton; \$50; fourth, Watch City, Waltham, \$25. Second class engines, first, Boston Vets; \$100; second, M. A. Pickett, Marblehead, \$25.

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## The Doctor Trumped.

(From the Rockland, (Me.) Tribune.)

"That horrid little Bimley boy!" exclaimed Dora, pouring tea; "he was just as insulting to Dr. Carver as he could be."

"What did he do?"

"Why, the doctor was walking quietly along, and meeting Willie, put his hand on his head and said: 'How do you do, Willie?' just as nice, and that boy up and made the horriddest face, stuck his tongue out as the doctor and said 'Yah! yah!' in the hatefullest way possible. I declare if he was my boy I'd whin him. I wonder what Dr. Carver thought?"

"You needn't worry about Carver," David said complacently. "I met Bimley just now and he had his bill."

"The doctor's bill?"

"Yes."

"What for?"

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## GEN. CUSTER'S LAST STAND.

SERGT. JOHN RYAN'S ACCOUNT OF THE BATTLE—HE WAS THE MAN WHO FIRED THE FIRST SHOT IN THE ENGAGEMENT.

Sergt. John Ryan of the Newton police department gave a lecture Sunday evening in an immense tent erected on the grounds of St. John's church, Newton Lower Falls. His topic was the "Custer Massacre," and his audience, a large and interested one, comprised about 1600 persons. Sergt. Ryan gave the lecture as a complimentary offer to Rev. P. H. Callanan, pastor of St. John's church. He is probably as well equipped to give the details of the battle of the Little Big Horn as any man living, for he fired the first, and it is thought, the last shot in the fight. He was in charge of the detail that buried the lamented Gen. Custer, following the terrible butchery of his detachment.

Sergt. Ryan takes exception to the statements that have appeared from time to time reflecting upon Maj. Reno's part in the engagement. He maintains that Maj. Reno evidenced no lack of courage, and that he made a determined and plucky stand against the Indians.

Sergt. Ryan commenced his lecture by picturing the great difficulties surrounding the United States cavalrymen in the Little Big Horn engagement. "It was a case," said he, "of too many Indians and too few soldiers."

"It was Maj. Reno," the lecturer went on to say, "who opened the fight. He crossed the Little Big Horn river, and after facing his three companies, advanced down the valley, first on the trot, then on the gallop. There was a space between the right of the battalion and the river bank, with considerable intervening underbrush. I was ordered by Capt. French of company M to deploy skirmishers. The order was obeyed, the skirmishers advancing in the lead of the companies. When near the timber, a small party of Indians started out from behind the trees and rode in the direction of their camp. It was then that the first shot of the bloody battle was fired. I am positively sure of that, for it was the nearest approach that had been made to the Indian forces, and was prior to Gen. Custer's attack."

"The idea has prevailed to some extent that Gen. Custer's five companies alone participated in the fight. This is not true. The battle was fought by two detachments, one under command of Gen. Custer, the other under Maj. Reno. The latter made the first attack upon the Indian camp, near the upper end of the timber."

"There is absolutely no truth in the statement that Maj. Reno retreated and gained the bluff, where he made his second stand, with the loss of only a few men. One officer was killed on the skirmish line, several men were killed in the timber, and about 30 additional before the bluff was gained. The ascent was made over a buffalo trail, only wide enough for the passage of one man at a time."

"After gaining the bluff, Maj. Reno advanced along the ridge with five companies, leaving two to look after the pack mules and the wounded. He had been reinforced by a battalion under Col. Bentine. He reached a point where a view was obtained of the Indian camp. Beyond it, could be seen parties riding backward and forward. A few shots were heard at intervals. It was impossible to tell whether they were Indians or soldiers. My belief is that they were Indians. Most of Gen. Custer's brave fellows had then been massacred, in my judgment, and a few braves were riding over the field killing the wounded. Had Maj. Reno advanced a little farther, his detachment would have been wiped out. As it was, he was attacked on the ridge and obliged to retreat back to the point where the pack mules had been stationed."

There is more Catarrh to this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

## Ten Mile Road Race.

A large number of spectators were attracted to Nonantum, Labor Day, to witness the ten-mile bicycle race. The start was made at 9.15, from the corner of Crafts and Watertown streets, the course being through Watertown, Waltham and Crafts street three times, and through California to Crescent, where the finish was made.

The time prize was awarded to Daniel O'Connor, whose time was 28m. 57s. The first prize, a silver pitcher, was awarded to P. F. Noonan; time 31m. The other prizes were as follows: second, J. H. Connelly; third, J. F. Jones; fourth, Thomas O'Donnell; fifth, C. F. Dalton; sixth, Geo. Butler.

The roads were in poor condition, but despite this fact, excellent time was made.

Mr. A. A. Snyder, Supt. Poor Farm, Winneshiek Co., Ia., says:—Last winter Mr. Robert Leach used two boxes of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve and cured a large running sore on his leg. Had been under care of Physician for months without obtaining relief. Sure cure for Piles, Arthur Hudson, Newton; Bernard Billings, Newton Upper Falls; Walter P. Thorn, Auburndale.

## Foiled Again.

(From the Cincinnati Enquirer.)

"Misses," said the hollow-eyed wanderer, leaning over the fence, "may I come in and eat some of that fine grass?"

"No, you can't," snapped the lady. "Any loofer with no more sense than to try to work that time-worn gag ought to be content with thistles."

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## THE ART OF MARCUS.

A QUAKER HOOSIER WHO COULD PAINT OR MAKE A MATCH.

Early Struggles With a Talent That Could Not Be Suppressed—One of His Best Known Pictures—How He Brought About a Happy Marriage.

One of the unique characters of the state is Marcus Mote, the veteran Quaker artist of Richmond. He is now 78 years of age and is very feeble. His memory of things that happened in his youth and prime is keen and true, but the events of the day pass as the summer clouds. It was he who first defied the Quaker antipathy to art in oil and brush, and he secured the petition which caused the legislature to provide that the public schools of Indiana should teach drawing. The petition was presented by Senator Baxter, since deceased. Two years previously the Quaker artist had secured the teaching of drawing in the public schools of Richmond by ordinance.

Marcus Mote's talent was born with him. It is said of him that when only 2½ years old his mother came home from meeting one day and found him scratching a rude picture on the foot-board of the bedstead with a piece of charcoal. The Quakers held that painting was of the devil and savored of idolatry. The boy was rebuked, with a remark, "I do believe this mischief was born in thee."

There was no relenting as the lad grew up and the propensity to draw and paint developed. He was forbidden to indulge his talent, but he could not be repressed. It is evident that had he met with encouragement and aid, instead of rebuke, fame and fortune would have crowned the artist with their richest laurels. As it was Marcus had to take to the woods for his colors. The primaries he derived from red root, or from red ink, the yellows from yellow root, and for blue he was obliged to content himself with bluing from his mother's washing tub.

"The only stealing I have ever done," he said to a Journal reporter, "was in taking bluing from my mother's bluing bag. For brushes I used the hair in the squirrel's tail, and I used to accompany my father when hunting so as to get the tails for my painting. At first all my work was done with the pen. When I secured my first box of water colors I worked as late at night as I could and then spent the rest of the night awake picturing what I would do."

As the boy grew to manhood he became more assertive of his art and persisted in painting landscape and portraits in spite of the grumbling of members of the meeting. He lived then in Warren county, O., and attended quarterly meeting at Waynesville. He was chosen clerk of the meeting at one time, which led to the protest against his work rising to the surface. He would have been disowned had not Thomas Evans, father of the well known oil miller of this city, used his influence to prevent it.

Marcus Mote lived in Lebanon, O., for many years and personally knew the great Tom Corwin, whose portrait he painted for the state of Ohio. It hangs in the statehouse at Columbus, marked "By an unknown artist." In speaking of this painting the artist said:

"My daughter happened to be in Columbus and went to the statehouse. She discovered the inscription. Corwin came to me one day when he was at home from congress and said that the fellows down at Washington seemed to think that nobody in Ohio could do anything, and that he had refused to sit for a portrait for an artist there for that reason. He wanted the work done at home. He sat for the portrait a number of times, and I became well acquainted with him. "He had a daughter, Eva, who was his great pride, and together with her mother, he was very ambitious for her. There was a young man then teaching in Warren county who was poor in pocket, but had a strong will, a clean heart and first class ability. He was modest, however, and his ability was not known. He showed Eva Corwin so much attention that her father finally forbade her seeing the young man, and the girl was seriously affected by the breaking up of the friendship. She was kept closely at home in her father's suburban residence, and her friends noticed that her health was beginning to be affected. She had a friend named Jennie Hardy, since Drake, who had the confidence of Eva's parents, and one day I met Jennie and asked her to bring Eva to my studio on the next day at 1 o'clock sharp."

"What for?" she asked. "Never thee mind," I said, "but do as I tell thee. Now, I want thee to promise me that thee will. Will thee?" "She said she would. Pretty soon I met the young man and I said that I wanted him to come to my studio on the next day within two or three minutes after 1 o'clock sharp."

"What for?" he asked. "Never thee mind," I said. "Now, I want thee to give me thy hand, promising that thee will be there just as I said."

"He gave me his hand. The next day at 1 there was a knock at my door, and there were Jennie and Eva. Jennie left Eva with me. As I closed the door she said:

"What does this mean?" "I want to see thee," I said. "Take a chair."

"It was only a minute or two that there was another knock, and I opened the door. The young man was there, and I brought him in, saying to Eva, 'This is George R. Sage. Now you are my prisoners for one hour. I want thee and George to be together for awhile. At the end of the hour I will call for you and let you out.' Now that was the way in which those two young people planned to get married. George R. Sage justified my faith in his high character. He is now a judge on the federal bench in Cincinnati."—Indianapolis Journal.

## COLORADO'S CLIMATE.

A Region of Outdoor Life Decidedly Favorable to Health.

The easterner, bred and born at sea level, has a very vague idea of that part of his country which is at a cloud height, and he has scarcely any conception of the governing climate of such a section. The purely picturesque appeals to the tourist, and he gives hardly a thought, surely not a serious one, to the high altitude section through which he passes.

The Adirondacks have accomplished wonderful temporary healings and permanent cures for certain pulmonary troubles, yet their beneficial results do not compare in extent with those of that section which lies at an altitude varying from 3,500 to 8,000 feet above the sea, known as the high and dry Rocky Mountain belt, whose heart is Colorado.

From a statistical comparative weather bureau report little idea could be formed of this climate, for in these comparative statements the dry and rarified condition of the air is not fully appreciated. The dominant feature of this high altitude is light, dry and electrical atmosphere, with its abundant sunshine and clear weather. This is true of all seasons at the 6,000 foot level, or while rain falls in torrents for an hour nearly every day during May, June, July and August, the sun always shines the rest of the day, and ten minutes after the rain has ceased the sandy roads are dry and the air does not retain moisture. After these months not a drop of water falls from the cloudless sky, and snowstorms are few and light.

The mercury occasionally drops to 20 degrees below zero during winter nights and rises to 60 degrees in the shade the following morning, while in summer, although a blanket is always a nightly necessity, the thermometer often registers 90 degrees during the day and the heat of the sun is always intense. These extremes are much less keenly felt than they would be at sea level, owing to the dryness of the air.

It is a region of out-of-door life, where regaining of health is a matter of thousands of beings, who would be measured by weeks if they turned to the dampness of sea level, here are well and active. It is true that some cases of pulmonary trouble are not benefited at the 6,000 foot elevation, but either the disease has advanced so far that the invalid could not live more than a few weeks in any climate, or he is affected with some heart trouble. Cases of the latter sort migrate to an extension of this dry belt, which descends into New Mexico, along the Pecos and Rio Grande valleys, where the elevation is from 3,000 to 4,000 feet. There the action of the heart is modified, and the patient is more benefited than in the higher portions of the Rockies.—New Science Review.

## TURNING THE TABLES.

The Unfortunate Lawyer and His Client, the Nurse.

The extent to which lawyers can exercise their imagination when pleading in behalf of their clients is almost beyond belief, but sometimes the tables are turned in a very unexpected fashion.

On one occasion Mr. S— was engaged in presenting the case of a woman who petitioned the court to grant her a judicial separation from her husband, a workman, and urged that as she was in extreme poverty she was entitled to alimony according to her husband's means.

With a voice broken in its pathos the lawyer dilated on the imperative necessity of the case, declaring that his client was utterly destitute, not having a mattress to lie upon, and not possessing the means to purchase a crust of bread.

When the evidence had been heard the judge, who well knew the counsel's unlimited powers of exaggeration, turned to the appellant and addressed to her a few questions.

"Have you then no occupation?" "Yes, my lord; I am a nurse," was the incoherent reply.

"And where are you employed?" "I am at Mr. S—'s," she unwittingly rejoined, pointing to her counsel.

It was with the greatest difficulty that the judge refrained from joining in the shout of laughter with which this admission was hailed.—Boston Traveler.

## In the Nature of a Warning.

Elderly Relative (with means)—Alfred, this young Miss Peduncle you want to marry—what kind of a girl is she?

Young Man (with expectations tinged on elderly relative's last will and testament)—Aunt Rachel, she is the best girl alive! She plays the piano beautifully, she can paint on china, speak French like a native and—

"Plays tennis, I suppose?" "Oh, yes; she's a capital tennis player."

"Rides a bicycle?" "To perfection."

"H'm! Wears bloomers?" "Er—sometimes."

(Grinly)—"You had better find out if she can cook."—Philadelphia Times.

## A Marvel of Art.

The casket that Nasrulla Khan presented to the queen from his father, the ameer of Afghanistan, is a marvel of art. It is 18 inches long by 15 inches high. It is cut from a block of lapis lazuli, and is incrustured with large diamonds, rubies and emeralds. From the four top corners spring stars containing 612 brilliants. The value of the whole is \$85,000. The queen in return sent a gold plate service and other presents of equal value.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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The City Council has quite a difficult problem to solve, in regard to the moving of buildings on Washington street. With the railroad on the south side, the only natural way is to move them to the north, and the presence of so many wires in the street makes moving impossible, unless the wires are temporarily cut. There are telephone wires in cables, electric light wires, and the trolley wires of the street railway, and cutting the wires would entail a suspension of business. There are probably fifty houses, at least, which owners will desire to move, and a committee is to wrestle with the problem. The corporations that have wires in the streets pay nothing for the privilege, and it is difficult to see how they have any more rights in the streets than the building movers. The wires constitute a sort of a blockade, and if a corporation has a right to blockade the street, why has not a private citizen? Perhaps one solution would be to let these corporations combine and buy up all these old houses, if they object to have their business interfered with. The outlay would not be a very large one, if the houses are sold at auction, and this would be one way out of the difficulty. Perhaps the corporations will aid the committee to find some more reasonable plan. It has always been regarded as one of the privileges of a citizen of this free republic to move any building through any street, and such a privilege will not be relinquished without a struggle.

The Boston Herald thinks every superintendent of streets ought to be a bicyclist, so as to be in a position to judge intelligently of the roads of a city or town. Newton is up to date, as usual, as Superintendent Ross can often be seen, mornings and evenings, wheeling about the city, and perhaps this is one reason why our newly constructed roads are such models. When the older roads were built, the science of road building was not known here, and of course streets, where a street railway occupies the centre of the road, can never be better in good condition.

The eruption on all streets caused by the introduction of the sewer system has entailed so much labor and expense that it is not possible to get the roads in good condition again, without a thorough reconstruction, and this will be a matter of years. The completion of the new boulevard will make Newton a popular place for wheelmen, as it has the finest road bed to be found, and when Washington street is finally widened, and the car tracks placed on the side, that ought to be a popular thoroughfare.

A RECENT NOVEL, written by a former member of the Great and General Court, has a very suggestive title, "The Leg Pullers," and it describes the legislators as "a hodge-podge of legalized blackmail, which masquerades under the cloak of representative government. This is awful, but the pictures the author draws of prominent members are even worse than this quotation would appear, and if there is even a basis for the charges made, the Gilded Dome ought to turn back for very shame. The author has figured prominently in politics, and some of the characters presented are realistic enough to set the politicians by the ears. We have been accustomed to look down with pity on the corrupt and venal politics of Connecticut and New York, for instance, and to feel like giving thanks that we were not as bad as these men are, but according to this pessimistic story our politics and legislators are no better than those of other states.

The City Council gave a hearing next Monday evening on the widening of Washington street, from Centre street to the railroad crossing. It is understood that the widening will be on the south side, which will mean a removal of several buildings, none of them, however, of any great cost. In connection with this improvement, the entrance to Charlesbank road will be widened, by taking a slice off the vacant land on the north side, and when the grade crossing is abolished the grade of both streets will be raised. It is said that the highway committee have decided that it would not be wise to reopen any of the questions already settled in regard to other portions of Washington street, as they see no advantage in renewing what has been an unpleasant contest, and more people would oppose any change than could be found to favor it.

The stories of highwaymen and burglars that take up so much space in

some of the daily papers are of a sort to make timid people nervous, but so far the highwaymen seem to be getting the worst of it. The five who tried to hold up a team between Watertown and Brighton did not succeed, and later were all arrested, which shows that they must have been amateurs. Another story comes of a "hold up" in Brookline, but the horse was whipped up and got away, and the police are rather sceptical. There are many lonely streets in the suburbs and the moral seems to be that people should do their riding before 12 o'clock at night. The Newton police are keeping a sharp look out for crooks of all kinds, and suspicious looking strangers are rigidly interviewed and followed.

The first spadeful of earth for the widening of Washington street was turned over on the Spear estate, corner of Walnut Park and Washington street, on Tuesday. Mr. George Stuart, assistant superintendent of streets, preserved the earth in a pail, for a curiosity. The appearance of the streets in that vicinity has been considerably changed this week.

The Newton prohibitionists have called party caucuses for Sept. 10 to choose a ward and city committee and elect delegates to the state, county and district conventions. It is probable that a mass caucus will be held at city hall in place of the usual ward caucuses.

The returning vacationists are giving a harvest time to the local expressmen, and wagons laden high with trunks are this week a conspicuous feature in all parts of Newton. School begins next week and families with small children are hurrying home from the shore and mountain resorts.

BUSINESS promises to boom in all directions, this fall, judging from the hopeful talk of business men, and to help things along, we would suggest that now is the time to advertise.

POLITICS will soon begin to engage public attention, and the question of representatives will be of interest to Newton people.

WE have had so many holidays of late that it is rather sad that there will be no more till November, unless something unforeseen occurs.

## NONANTUM.

—Franklin L. Fletcher is building three houses on Allison street.

—Mrs. Jason Davis has taken the house recently vacated by Mr. J. B. White.

—Miss Florence Kybert of Faxon street is at Holyoke for a few weeks.

—Miss Julia Billings has returned from a visit to Vermont.

—Miss Gladys Bacon of Natick is visiting Mrs. Felix Roy of Bridge street.

—Miss Lizzie Fry is spending a few weeks at her home in Bedford.

—Mr. A. K. Werth led the Y. P. S. C. E. meeting, Sunday evening.

—Mrs. Mushy of Lawrence is in town visiting friends this week.

—Morgan & Monahan, contractors, lost a valuable horse, last Saturday.

—Miss Fannie Broderick is enjoying her vacation at Revere.

—Bertram Falkner is home on a two week's vacation.

—Wm. Fisher was arrested Saturday for assault and battery on his wife. Case continued.

—The nine months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Young, died last Tuesday at their home on West street.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Billings has gone to Kansas City to attend her sister, who is ill.

—Mr. Thomas Cuthbert, who has been threatened with typhoid fever, is recovering.

—Mrs. W. B. Bowser has returned from Nova Scotia and is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weldon of Bridge street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Goddard have returned from a short visit to Lewiston, Me.

—Mr. J. B. White has moved from Bridge street to Irving street, Watertown.

—John Marshall has accepted the position of designer at the Nonantum mills in place of Joseph Gill, who resigned.

—The Sons of Temperance resumed their meetings Wednesday evening and were visited by delegations from Waltham and Newton Centre.

—A Communion service was held at the North Evangelical church, Sunday evening, and one member was received into the society.

—The North Evangelical church is observing a week of prayer, and meetings are held every evening this week except Saturday evening.

—It is proposed to have a bicycle race soon between the winner of the Labor Day contest, Noonan, and O'Connell for a purse of \$100.

—Mr. Davis of Sweet's court has moved into a house owned by Mr. George Hudson at the corner of Waltham and Bridge streets.

—Monday morning Fridelle Breaux and Mary Breaux were arrested for drunkenness. When brought into court they were found not guilty, and discharged.

—Last Wednesday evening Sergt. Clay and Officers Burke, Davis and McAlister raided the premises occupied by a man named Campbell on Watertown street, and secured a quart of rum. The case was continued till Sept. 9th. Sunday the same officers raided Frank Travis of Adams street, but secured nothing.

—Last Sunday afternoon one of the most successful of the Benish Mission meetings was held. Rev. H. C. Matthews of Boston delivered an eloquent address and was listened to by an earnest and enthusiastic

audience. Next Sunday Mr. C. H. Robinson will address the meeting and Mr. J. H. York will lead.

—Miss Emily Hayley and her sister visited this place last Saturday. Miss Hayley was a former resident of Bridge street and has returned after an absence of 23 years.

—Tuesday morning, Michael Donahue, David Buckley, Andrew Trainor and Thomas Maloy were arrested for the larceny of fruit from the orchard of Patrick O'Brien. Their case was continued till October 5.

—A young man, residing in Newtonville, met with a serious accident, Tuesday, while riding a bicycle. When at the corner of Chapel and California streets his front fork broke, throwing him to the ground and cutting his face badly. A doctor was called and the man was taken to his home.

## WABAN.

—The Waban school opens on Monday, Sept. 18.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Seaver spent Sunday at Provincetown.

—Miss Ethel Woodbury has returned from Centerville, Mass.

—Mr. John L. Holah returned to his home in Middletown, Ct. on Thursday.

—Miss Childs has returned from a few weeks' visit at Woonsocket, R. I.

—Mr. Arthur B. Harlow and Elliot Robinson who have been spending some days at Cottage City, returned home on Tuesday.

—Mr. W. R. Knight and family, who have been at Craigville, Mass., during August, are at home again.

—Mrs. M. A. Dresser and Miss Mayola Dresser returned on Saturday from a six weeks' stay at Scarborough Beach.

—Mrs. W. H. Gould and family have opened their Beacon street residence once more after spending a most delightful summer at Boothbay, Me.

—Mrs. W. F. Goodwin and her mother, Mrs. M. E. York, who have been travelling through England and the continent, returned on Saturday by the Cephalonia.

## NEIGHBORHOOD TENNIS.

SOME GOOD GAMES PLAYED ON THE COURTS AT WEST NEWTON.

A members' tournament was held on the courts of the Neighborhood Club, West Newton, Monday. It was good holiday sport, and most of the matches were hotly contested. In the Fletcher-Estabrook match it took 30 games to decide the third set, which finally went to Fletcher, 16-14.

Following is a summary of the day's matches:

Preliminary round—Fletcher beat Estabrook, 6-0, 6-3, 16-14; Blaney beat Prentiss, 6-5, 6-1; Adams beat Wise by default; Woods beat Burrage, 6-2, 5-0, 6-2; Hall beat W. Felton, 6-2, 6-3.

Second round—Fletcher beat Blaney, 6-2, 6-1; Woods beat Adams, 6-5, 4-6, 9-7; Howland beat H. Felton, 6-3, 5-6, 6-1; Ayer beat Hall, 6-1, 1-6, 6-0.

Semi-finals—Woods beat Fletcher, 6-0, 6-2; Howland beat Ayer, 6-3, 6-3.

Doubles, first round—W. and H. Felton beat Burrage and Estabrook 6-2, 1-6, 7-5; Ayer and Blaney beat Fletcher and Wise 6-2, 6-5; Howland and Leonard beat Hall and Prentiss 6-5, 6-2.

Doubles, semi-final round—Ayer and Blaney beat W. and H. Felton 6-0, 6-2; Adams and Cutter beat Howland and Leonard 6-4, 6-5.

Doubles, final round—Adams and Cutter beat Ayer and Blaney 6-3, 6-4.

Consolations, first round—W. Felton beat H. Felton 6-4, 6-5; Burrage beat Estabrook 6-4, 6-1.

Consolation, finals—W. Felton beat Burrage 6-2, 6-3.

During the continued absence of his family owing to illness, messages for

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COLLINS—GROVER—At New's Upper Falls, Aug. 31. Myrland Lyon Collins and Mary Lizzie Grover.

DAVIS—BOYLE—At Newton Centre, Sept. 2. George Edwin Davis and Jessie Mae Boyle.

HENNESSEY—WELCH—At Newton, Sept. 1. James Francis Hennessey, and Elizabeth Loretta Welch.

HOWARD—KAYE—At Newton, Aug. 28. John James Howard and Margaret Elizabeth Kaye.

SCOTT—HUGGARD—At Newton Centre, Sept. 4. William Scott and Mary Ann Huggard.

SMITH—SEARS—At Newton Lower Falls, Sept. 4. Henry Ernest Smith and Alma Lizzie Sears.

BLANCHARD—LEFEVRE—At Newton Highlands, Sept. 2. John Henry Blanchard and Henrietta Gabriela Lefevre.

## DIED.

STEELE—At her home in Abundant, Sept. 2, suddenly of heart failure, Mrs. Susan J. Steele, wife of the Rev. Dr. George M. Steele, aged 72 yrs.

ALLEN—At his home at Newton, Sept. 4, George R. Allen, 64 yrs. 5 mos. 7 dy.

WILLIAMS—At Chicago, Sept. 1, Charles F. Williams of Newtonville, 43 yrs.

EWING—At Newton Highlands, Aug. 30th, Angeline R. Ewing, aged 81 yrs. 2 mos.

GREEN—At Newton Centre, Sept. 2, George H. Green, 75 yrs. 5 mos.

SWIFT—At Newton Upper Falls, Aug. 30, Mary Swift, 77 yrs.

MILLER—At Nonantum, Aug. 30, Minnie J. daughter of George and Elizabeth Miller 4 mos. 4 dy.

STILES—At Newtonville, Aug. 31, Elmina C. wife of Edmund E. Stiles, 55 yrs.

CANNON—At Nonantum, Sept. 4, Lili an daughter of James and Mary Cannon.

O'NEIL—At West Newton, Sept. 3, Ellen Frances O'Neil, 14 yrs.

YOUNG—At Newton, Sept. 3, Mary A. daughter of Philip and Marian Young, 7 mos.

BORDEN—At Abundant, Sept. 1, Lida Jane, wife of Amos Borden, 31 yrs.

BENNETT—At Nonantum, Sept. 1, Clifford Joseph, son of Joseph and Josephine Bennett, 5 mos.

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## NEWTON A. A.

PUSH BALL IS PLAYED WITH A SPHERE SIX FEET IN DIAMETER WHICH COSTS \$200.

The Newton Athletic Association held a members' tournament on its grounds at Newton Centre Monday morning. The track was a bit slow, having been only recently laid out. Three club records were broken, running high jump, running broad jump and shot put.

One hundred yard dash—F. A. Edmands (3 1-2 yds.), first, 10 3-5s.; G. F. Skelton, second.

Two mile bicycle race, class A—F. J. Kellaway (200 yds.), first, 5m. 51s.; R. L. Rottler, second.

Three hundred yard dash—H. W. Borden (10 yds.), first, 35 3-5s.; E. R. Crane, second.

One thousand yard run—A. Abell (25 yds.), first, 2m. 44s.; W. W. Heckman, second.

Six hundred yard run—G. F. Skelton, first, 1m. 26 4-5s.; H. W. Burdon, second.

Running high jump—E. H. Clark, first, 5ft. 9 1-4in.; W. D. Rising (2in.), second, 5ft. 9in.

Shot put—E. H. Clark, first, 37ft. 1 1-2 in.; F. W. Eddy, second, 36ft. 9in.

Running hop, step and jump—W. D. Rising (2ft. 9in.), first, 42ft. 9in.; F. J. Kellaway (2 1-2 ft.), second, 42ft. 1 1-4in.

Running broad jump—E. H. Clark, first, 21 ft. 7 1-4in.; W. D. Rising (1ft. 8 in.), second, 21 ft. 2 3-4in.

At the conclusion of the athletic contests, the first public trial of the new game, push ball, took place. It follows the lines of foot ball to some extent, tackling, however, being prohibited.

The ball used in this novel sport is six feet in diameter. The outside is made of belt leather, and the inside provides for an air bag of cloth and rubber. The air bag is, of course, filled with wind before the ball is put in play.

The ball cost about \$200. The game in which it figures may be regarded as being in the nature of an experiment. In a match, eight men play on a side, and their efforts are directed toward pushing the great sphere into the opponent's territory.

The match Tuesday furnished some very amusing features, and developed the fact that scientific handling of the ball was possible, notwithstanding its great proportions. Five innings of one minute each, actual play, were rolled off without advantage to either side, the score standing even, 3 to 3, at the wind-up.

It was too warm to continue the match, the exercise being too violent. With the advent of cooler weather, however, when the foot ball season is practically on, the game will be given a chance.

## The Dog Poisoner.

To the Editor of the Graphic:—

Newtonville people should now guard as closely as possible, their household pets, for the poisoner is again abroad vigorously prosecuting his fiendish work.

What sort of spirit can it be which prompts a man or woman to waylay some poor animal, put poison in its path and sneak away leaving it to die after hours or perhaps days of horrible torture? Surely such a person is only restrained from injuring human creatures through fear of punishment.

It is a pity, certainly, that the disposition to torture and kill does not leave an unmistakable outward mark on its possessor, so that decent people might avoid his atmosphere.

Because he is sometimes annoyed by his neighbor's animals is not the slightest excuse. This earth was not made for man alone, and these dumb creatures have with us a common Creator. They are innocent and helpless, they are at our mercy, and one of the meanest crimes a human creature can commit is the inflicting of cruelty upon them.

The poisoner, when identified, should be shunned as one shuns the stuff with which he performs his wicked work.

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DAVIS—BOYLE—At Newton Centre, Sept. 2. George Edwin Davis and Jessie Mae Boyle.

HENNESSEY—WELCH—At Newton, Sept. 1. James Francis Hennessey, and Elizabeth Loretta Welch.

HOWARD—KAYE—At Newton, Aug. 28. John James Howard and Margaret Elizabeth Kaye.

SCOTT—HUGGARD—At Newton Centre, Sept. 4. William Scott and Mary Ann Huggard.

SMITH—SEARS—At Newton Lower Falls, Sept. 4. Henry Ernest Smith and Alma Lizzie Sears.

BLANCHARD—LEFEVRE—At Newton Highlands, Sept. 2. John Henry Blanchard and Henrietta Gabriela Lefevre.

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## NEWTONVILLE.

—Pianos rented and tuned, Farley, Newton.

—Officer Dearborn is again on duty after a two weeks' rest.

—Officer Soule will pass several days of his vacation in Portland, Me.

—Officer W. E. Fuller is enjoying a week's vacation.

—Mr. E. M. Rumery and family have returned from Hampton Beach, N. H.

—William E. Soule of Walker street has entered Burdett's commercial college.

—Miss Alice Newton is at home, having passed several weeks at Mt. Desert.

—Mrs. R. M. Pulsifer has returned from a month's stay at Allerton.

—Mr. R. B. Lamberton and family, who were the guests of relatives here, have returned to their home in Woodbridge.

—Mr. F. H. Veits and family of Washington park have returned from a short stay in Connecticut.

—Mr. C. H. Ames and family have returned from several weeks' stay at Hyanisport.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Kingsbury of Otis street are at home, having passed the warm season in New Hampshire.

—Mrs. E. H. Pierce and daughter have passed the warmer months at Kennebunkport, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Brewer, who passed the summer months at Hull, are at home on Otis street.

—Mr. William C. Whiston leaves this week for Pittsburg, Pa., where he is to engage in business.

—Miss Annie Tancroft, who has been the guest of Mrs. Charles French of Otis street, has returned to her home in Boston.

—Miss Nellie Hanson, who has been visiting friends here, will return to Chicago next week.

—Mrs. H. B. Hackett and family have returned from several weeks' stay at Sugar Hill, New Hampshire.

—Mrs. J. Q. Bird and daughter of Otis street have returned from several weeks' stay at Manet Beach, Quincy.

—Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Hamilton have returned from their trip through the Provinces.

—Mr. N. S. Smith and family of Lowell street have returned from a long stay at East Gloucester.

—Mr. W. C. Richardson and family of Highland avenue are at home, having passed the month of August at Nantasket.

—John! get Hall's Hair Renewer and keep your hair lustrous and free from dandruff.

—Mr. W. F. Dearborn and family are at home, having passed several pleasant weeks at North Falmouth.

—Mr. Geo. Williams and family of Washington park have returned from a month's stay in New Hampshire.

—Mr. W. F. Kimball and family have returned from the mountains where they passed the month of August.

—Mr. W. S. Noyes of Chicago, formerly a resident of this place, was the guest of friends here this week.

—Dr. Woodman has returned from Bailey's Island, Me., where he passed several days with his sisters.

—Mrs. Mary Lawson and Miss Florence Wellander of Portland, Me., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Soule.

—Mr. Frank Bryant of Walker street returned this week from Europe, where he passed the summer months.

—The drug store of Mr. John F. Payne has been fitted with a complete system of electric bells.

—Mr. Jesse Rogers and family have moved into their new house on Walker street.

—Mrs. Fenno of Walker street, accompanied by Miss Belle Allen and Mrs. Upton, returned this week from the seashore.

—Mr. F. S. Hancock and family of Walnut street have returned from New Hampshire, where they passed the summer months.

—There are letters remaining in the post office for E. Colvin, Esther E. Melvin, Frank Nelson, Mary Parsons, Kristine Severson and Alice Thayer.

—Mr. J. B. Newell has sold out his business and it is understood that a company has been formed under the name of "The Newtonville Cab Co.," which will occupy the same stand as the present management.

—Among those who returned this week from the various summer resorts were T. Aubrey Byrne and family of Walker street and Miss Sherwood, Mrs. J. L. Richards, and family, Mrs. E. M. Melvin, Mrs. Tewksbury, Mrs. W. F. Kimball, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox.

—The Newton Co-operative Bank at the end of the 14th series shows assets of \$336,000, nearly all of which is loaned on real estate, mostly in Newton. The earnings of the bank for the last six months was \$10,500, \$900 being credited to the shares at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum. Shares in the 15th series, which starts in September, can be had upon application to Secretary J. Chas. Fuller at Newtonville, or at the Boston office, No. 226 Washington street. It is now seven years since the bank started, and it has never yet had to foreclose on any property. Six per cent. interest has been credited from the start.

—Some person is reported to have been scattering trash about some of the Newtonville streets, and many have come to grief. In Newtonville this is punishable with both a heavy fine and imprisonment for a proceeding, and in this state the guilty party can be made to pay damages, which would amount up to quite a sum, as the full cost of a tire could be recovered. The local wheelmen should take hold of the matter and see that the offender is discovered and punished in such a way that he will not desire to repeat the offense. One man is reported to have picked up three tracks on one of his tires, while riding through here Wednesday.

—Gethsemane Commandery won the \$300 banner that was offered by the Boston Traveller to the most popular commandery. Some 88,206 votes were cast, of which the local organization received 13,245, the next on the list being the Windsor of Vermont. The other contestants were from all parts of the country. The Traveller says that the greater share of the credit for the result is due to Mr. Chester Graves and Mr. J. B. Fuller of Newtonville, who were wearing in their efforts to secure the banner for Newton. It has now gone to Philadelphia to have the name and motto of Gethsemane Commandery embroidered by Horstman & Co., who are noted for their skill in such work.

—George W. Morse has been appointed by Gov. Greenhalge one of the delegates to represent the State at the opening of the Chickamauga battle field park. The governor and staff are to be with the delegation, starting Monday, the 16th inst., the ceremonies in the dedication of the different monuments to last several days. The second and thirty-third regiments were the only regiments from Massachusetts in the army of the southwest, they having been sent there from the Potomac Army to reinforce Rosecrans at Chickamauga in September, 1863, and after that remained at that department under Grant and Sherman, participating in all of Sherman's campaigns. Capt. Morse served in the second

regiment throughout its four years of service.

—Mr. G. W. Morse and family have returned from New Hampshire.

—A quiet home wedding occurred in Middletown, Conn., Wednesday, Sept. 4th. Miss Grace Louise Weeks, eldest daughter of Mrs. N. A. Weeks, formerly of Newtonville, was united in marriage to Rev. Eldred L. Barnes of Hartland, Vt. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. L. Beebe of Montpelier, Vt. The maid of honor was Miss Alice Cary Weeks, a sister of the bride and the best man was Mr. Geo. M. Bridges of Newtonville. Only the immediate family were present.

—The funeral of Mr. Charles F. Williams, who died in Chicago this week, took place from the home of his mother on Cabot street, Wednesday afternoon. The deceased was 43 years of age and was, for more than thirty years, a resident of this city. Rev. H. J. Patrick and Rev. J. M. Dutton officiated at the services and paid loving tribute to his memory. The interment was in the family lot at Newton cemetery where an impressive Masonic ceremony was held.

—The Newton Associates have let the contract for their new block, on the site of the old clubhouse, to Mr. Henry F. Ross. The plans indicate that it will be a very handsome building, with a tower on the corner. It is to be fire-proof, with plate glass throughout, and the stores will be occupied by the old tenants of the associates in the buildings that are to be removed. It is worth noting that the rental of these tenants have not been increased. The building will contain a very handsome hall, which will probably be taken by some prominent secret society. The Associates will soon begin work, it is said, on their new block on the Denison land, and the stores will be quickly rented by those who wish to move.

—Mr. A. H. Sisson has just purchased a very fine building lot on Edinboro street near the corner of Lowell street, formerly owned by Mr. C. W. Davis of Waterville, Me. This is one of the most desirable lots in Newtonville, taking everything into consideration. It is very level and for building purposes there is no better land. We understand that Mr. Sisson is to build a modern house at once, and it will help to complete Edinboro street, which is becoming one of the best streets in this section of Newton. Real estate in this vicinity is increasing in value rapidly, owing to its being so convenient to the Boston & Albany station, and it is also near two lines of electric cars, running to Watertown and the other running between Newton and Waltham, over Washington street, which will be one of the finest roads in the suburbs when it is widened. We congratulate Mr. Sisson upon his securing this piece of land. It contains over 14,000 square feet but the amount paid is not known to the public. It is thought, however, to be somewhere between \$3,000 and \$3,500.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Miller pianos, Farley, Newton

—Mr. G. D. Clarke has returned from Bangor, Me.

—Mrs. Fred Talbot is at East Jaffrey, N. H., for some weeks.

—Mr. B. F. Shattuck and family are at home after a long stay at Bath, Maine.

—Rev. E. P. Burt is at home, having passed his vacation at Pine Bluff, Me.

—Mr. George Meade has returned from a month's stay in New Hampshire.

—Miss Kate S. Hale of Otis street has returned from a short stay in Hubbardston.

—Mr. J. H. Johnson has moved into the Robertson house, Sharon avenue.

—Mr. Hobbs will soon move into his fine residence on Temple street.

—Mr. M. A. Powers has removed to the new Upton house on Walker street.

—Mr. James Rait of Prince street is building a handsome house on Sewal street.

—Mr. Severance Burrage left last Saturday to enter upon his new duties as an instructor in a western college.

—Mr. Levi F. Warren and family have returned from their summer home in New Hampshire.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Editha Munroe of St. Louis to Mr. Francis J. Burrage of Prince street.

—Mr. Joshua Blake of Cherry street has returned from a month's stay in Woodstock, New Hampshire.

—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Walton of Chestnut street are expected home this week.

—Mrs. Howard and family of Washington street have returned from New Hampshire.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cleaveland have returned from a month's stay at Old Forge, New York.

—Mr. J. P. Eager and family have returned from Nantucket, where they passed the summer months.

—Mr. Albert Trefrey and family have returned from their trip through Prince Edwards Island.

—Mr. J. C. Holman and family of Lenox street have returned from Blue Hill, New York.

—Mr. F. H. Sleeper and family have returned from their summer home at Jaffrey, New Hampshire.

—Mr. and Mrs. Granville B. Putnam were the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Upham of Cherry street.

—Mr. George A. Blaney and family have returned from their summer outing at Mt. Desert.

—Mr. S. Warren Davis and family have returned from their summer home at Rowe.

—Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Thayer are at home having passed several pleasant weeks at Pigeon Cove.

—Mrs. E. A. Fowle is at home, having passed the month of August at Swampscott.

The Sunday School of the Congregational church, West Newton, will hold a basket picnic, Saturday, Sept. 7, at Forest Grove, Waltham, weather permitting. Cars leave the church at 9:30 a. m.

—Among those who returned this week from various summer resorts were Alderman George P. Bullard and family, Mr. J. P. Gray and family of Putnam street, Mr. J. B. Fuller and family, and Mr. F. M. Wales and family.

—One of C. F. Eddy's double houses was moved across Washington street in the night, and the other has started on its way across the street to make room for the widening. Mr. W. H. Green's house is also being moved back to a new location.

—The marriage of Mr. Henry P. Barry and Miss Mary Roche was celebrated Wednesday morning, at St. Bernard's church. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. L. J. O'Toole. After a brief tour, the happy couple will reside on Oak avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Allen have issued cards for the wedding reception of their daughter, Miss Allen and the Hon. P. A. Cooney, on Thursday evening, September 12, from 8 to 10. After the tour, Mr. and Mrs. Cooney will reside in Natick.

—There are letters remaining in the post office for Professor H. S. Allen, Mr. Arnold, Miss Winnie Conlon, Mr. D. Chung, Martin Connolly, Mrs. S. L. Dutton, Mrs. E. Deenling, (care of Mrs. Allen), Mrs. Ferguson, Mr. Joseph Houle, Mr. W. H. Hemion, Samuel M. Hall, Mary McQuillan, Lillian I. Miner,

Christopher O'Brien, Mrs. John A. Russell, (care of Mrs. Cheney).

—Mr. R. S. Cummings is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

—Mrs. H. H. Hunt and family have returned from Duxbury.

—Mrs. and Miss Mitchell are at Spring field cottage, Ocean Bluff.

—Mr. Thomas McAdams is passing some weeks at North Sandwich, N. H.

—Mr. Jarvis Lamson and family returned this week from Allerton.

—Mr. M. F. Lucas passed several days at Wells, Me.

—A Baptismal service was held at the Baptist church last Sunday evening.

—See adv. of auction lots at Jerome Park.

—The trotter owned by F. M. Dutch won 3d prize at Framingham, Monday.

—Miss Kittle Ruggles of Somerville is the guest of her cousins, the Misses Besse.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howland are passing several weeks at the Adirondacks.

—Mrs. Edna Chase has returned from Duxbury, where she passed several weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Fewkes have returned from a two weeks' stay in Ipswich.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Field of Waltham street are passing several weeks at Saratoga.

—Miss Sarah Foster has returned from Mt. Vernon, Me., where she passed the summer months.

—Mr. Laurie and family of Shaw street are at home, having passed several weeks at Plymouth.

—Mrs. H. L. Bixby and family have returned from their summer home at Chatham.

—Mr. George Duane of St. Louis is the guest of his friends, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Duane of River street.

—Mr. Fisher Ames, Jr., returned this week from Chatham, where he passed the summer.

—Mr. S. R. Reynolds and family have returned from their cottage at Chatham and will pass the winter in Boston.

—The American Legion of Honor will hold their regular meeting next Tuesday evening.

—Mr. Richard Anders and family have returned from their summer home at Richfield Springs, New York.

—Mr. N. T. Allen and family return this week from Lincoln, Me., where they have a very pleasant summer home.

—Mrs. Almon Wright of Stowe is the guest of Mrs. Charles Wilson of Watertown street.

—Mrs. Kingman of Brockton is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Clarke of Eddy street.

—Mr. C. M. Kebbe attended the dedication of the Avery school at East Dedham on Labor day.

—Two officers of Boynton lodge, O. O. L. O. L. will be installed at the regular meeting next Tuesday afternoon. Initiation and degrees will be conferred.

—Mrs. A. M. Langley and family of Cherry street have returned from Woodstock, New Hampshire, where they passed several months.

—Mr. E. T. Wiswall has bought the Cook house, corner of Washington and Eddy street, and will move it on to his land, and fit it up for rental.

—Rev. Francis Tiffany has been at the Mass. General Hospital for a surgical operation, which is said to have been very successful, and he is on the road to recovery.

—Miss Elizabeth Taffe returned this week from Europe, where she passed the summer months. Miss Taffe will return to her position in the public schools at Millbury.

—Mrs. George L. Creighton of Natick was severely bitten by a dog on River street, yesterday afternoon. The animal rushed out of a yard and knocked her down, fastening its teeth in her hip and tearing the flesh considerably. The wound was cauterized by Dr. F. E. Crockett.

—A mad dog caused a small alarm on Wrentham street this morning and the police were sent to deal with it. They responded promptly and the canine was ere long occupying one of the corridors at the police station. He snarled and showed evidence of rabies, and the precautionary method was adopted. The animal was shot.

—At special meeting called by the Veterans' Association, Wednesday evening, it was voted to attend the New England Firemen's muster at Hartford, Sept. 12. A special train will leave the B. & N. at 10:30 a. m. Sept. 11. Mr. H. Mague, J. Hargaden, H. H. Easterbrook and Charles Florence were appointed a committee to take full charge of the trip.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.

—Mr. B. W. Hadwell has returned home.

—Miss Tyler has returned from Pocasset.

—Fletcher Roble has left his leather, and gone to Maine for a long vacation.

—Mr. A. F. Noyes and family returned from the seashore, Wednesday.

—Harry Swift made a flying trip to Easton, Wednesday evening.

—Mr. Horace Bunker will enjoy his vacation at Bar Harbor.

—The Missionary Home which has been closed all summer will open next Friday.

—Mr. C. H. Sprague and family have returned from their summer outing.

—Bert Batchelder left Saturday for Randolph, Vt., where he will spend a few days before leaving for Nebraska.

—Edward Barnes is spending a few weeks in Maine and on his return will resume his studies at Amherst college.

—Mrs. Frank Underwood and family have returned to their home corner Maple and Central streets, having spent the summer in Connecticut.

—Past Grand Master Costello Lippitt of Concord, N. H., and Past Grand Master McKee of California Grand Commandery, were entertained by H. R. Turner last week.

—The morning concerts at Lasell Seminary by the fine military band with Columbia Commandery during Concord week, were a treat to the people of Auburndale. Several citizens received moonlight serenades.

—A very pleasant outing was enjoyed by the members of the Odds and End Social club of Dorchester on Monday last, at the home of the vice-president, Miss Mabelle S. Seaverns, in Weston. Games were participated in during the afternoon and later a collation was served on the lawn. The evening was passed in dancing.

—Mrs. Susan M. Steele of Grove street, was found dead in her bed at 5 o'clock Thursday morning. She retired Wednesday night, apparently in her usual health. A member of the household, who found her, supposed that she was ill and the family physician, Dr. Clark, was summoned. When he arrived, he discovered that his services were of no avail. He pronounced it a case of heart disease and the medical examiner coincided with that opinion. Deceased was 72 years of age, and a woman who had seemingly retained much of her strength and vigor. At one time, she had been quite prominent in

religious and philanthropic work. She had a wide circle of friends and was beloved and esteemed by all who knew her.

—Walter Burnett of Johnson & Keith's is in New Hampshire.

—Mr. George L. Chandler and family have returned from their camping trip.

—Mrs. Mahoney has moved from Auburn street, to Newton.

—C. Rideley Brown, assistant city engineer, has taken the ocean trip to Philadelphia, on a two weeks' vacation.

—A party of Auburndale gentlemen were royally entertained, Friday evening, by the Wyoming commandery, K. T., at their quarters in Boston.

—Mr. James Vears has returned from a month's visit at Rangley Lakes.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Tower and family have returned from the seashore.

—Gordon Weatherbee is quite ill with malaria.

—Mr. George Aimy of the Journal has returned from York Beach.

—Mrs. George Mann and family have returned from Green Harbor.

—Mrs. H. R. Turner returned from Point Allerton, and kept open house for Knight Templar guests last week.

—The new concrete gutter on Lexington street, below Walcott, has been completed.

—Mr. C. McGregor of Brighton has bought, and will occupy, a new house on Camden road.

—Miss Morno Furness has returned from her vacation which was spent in New Hampshire.

—Master Starbuck Sprague and Miss Genevieve Sprague are visiting relatives on Auburn street.

—Officer Quilly has resumed his duties after a two weeks' vacation, and his many friends are glad to see him back again.

—Wm. H. Crane, the actor, of this place will leave on his engagement, Monday, in New York.

—Mr. Charles Atkinson is spending a few weeks at Mr. D. T. Burke's on Grove street.

—Mrs. L. R. Worcester is at Mrs. Walker's. Miss Nellie Walker has returned from Siasconset.

—Rev. T. W. Bishop preached last Sunday morning to the guests of the Poland Springs Hotel, Me.

—Mr. Henry E. Parker, superintendent of terminal and harbor master at Newport News, Va., and his family have visited his mother, Mrs. Chas. Edward Parker, for a week.

—Rev. T. W. Bishop will return from his vacation this week, and will preach next Sunday morning at the Methodist church and will make a brief address at the evening service.

—The Norwich Bulletin of Sept. 2, has a letter from Columbian Commandery, K. T., at Lasell, giving an enthusiastic account of the visit at Auburndale, the menu of the seminary steward, the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Turner, and the reception at the Newton Club.

—Prof. Horatio W. Parker has returned from abroad. There was a pleasant rendezvous of musicians at the cottage of Mr. Kneisel in Lechl Austria, including members of the Kneisel quartet, Mr. J. Wallace Goodrich of Newton, and not least, the composer Brahms, whom, Prof. Parker describes as "a very impressive old man."

—The Masonic delegation quartered at Auburndale were out-poken in their praise of the Seminary and their entertainment by Steward Butler. Several of the more quiet Templars did not go to Boston, except to make, but remained at the Seminary grounds for two days in the cool and quiet, receiving an occasional visitor.

—Auburndale is evidently not a Masonic center. But two or three houses were decorated and little or no demonstration was made during Concord week, although the commandery was quartered at Lee's Hotel, another at Lasell Seminary, and several citizens entertained guests from all parts of the United States.

—Hon. Geo. B. McKee of San Jose, Cal., with a party of the California Knights, explored Northumbria Saturday afternoon, undaunted by the driving rain. Jack Sadler, the able canoeist at the Newton Boat Club, brought them through skillfully and was much praised for his fine handling of the paddle in the storm.

—There are letters remaining in the post office for Mr. R. Bacon, Charles Butler, Mr. James Case, Rev. Henry Loomis, W. W. Pendexter, Mr. D. Bertram Sumner, Miss Bessie Barnes, Miss Harriett Goodwin, Miss Kinsbury, J. M. Haygar, Mrs. Fred F. Judd, Mrs. French B. Sawyer, Miss Maggie Sawyer, (care of Miss Neely), and Mrs. Jennie Clapp.

—Sunday morning Officer Dolan arrested John McGuff, aged 17, for breaking and entering the blacksmith shop of Dennis O'Donnell. For some time McGuff has been suspected of taking small articles from the shop, and Sunday evening Officer Dolan lay in wait for him; in about an hour and a half he came into the shop through a window, when the officer seized him and carried him to the station. Monday morning he was arraigned in court and sentenced to the Concord Reformatory.

—The Riverside Club races drew a large crowd on Monday, and on a picturesque standpoint the war canoe race between the Wah-beah-wah and the Walthams was interesting, but otherwise it was not specially so. The Walthams took the lead at the beginning, paddled in more uniform and scientific style, and gained at all times. At the quarter mark they were a long way in good, were five after the turn and nearly a dozen at the finish. The distance in this race was a mile with a turn. It was not the champion Wah-beah-wah crew, but its second crew. The time was 9 min. 46 s.

Mr. Philip A. Butler has begun his usual September out-door sketching class, both in oil and water colors. All who wish to join the class or receive special instruction, will please call at studio, corner of Woodland road and Vista avenue, or address at Auburndale, Mass. Mr. Butler has lately fitted up his studio with additional light and conveniences. All are cordially invited to call at any time and see works on exhibition. Instruction given in studio throughout the coming winter.

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## HARD WOOD FLOORS.

INFORMATION ABOUT THEIR CONSTRUCTION AND CARE.

Quartered White Oak Said to Be the Very Best Material—How to Wax and Polish. They Do These Things Better in England Than We Do in America.

It is only a few years since advocates of the house beautiful began to preach in favor of hard floors, and there is now hardly a village in the country where this doctrine of health and beauty has not penetrated. Yet every one who has discarded carpets and adopted hard wood floors has found some drawback in the way. In nine cases out of ten the floor is simply shelled, often without previous filling, and every scratch of the bootheel shows on its surface. The wood is soon laid bare and permanently stained, or perhaps the wood is oiled with clear oil which has not been properly rubbed in. The residue gums on the surface and collects dust and debris, and altogether the hard wood floor, which has been well laid by the carpenter, is a source of discomfort and disappointment.

European housekeepers suffer from none of these disadvantages because they try none of these experiments. The European floor is a floor of parquetry. It is made by gluing together thicknesses of hard wood on a pine backing, a method by which they obtain a stronger and more durable floor than when a thick floor of hard wood alone is used, for every builder knows that the best door is not one of solid hard wood, but one of two thicknesses of hard wood over a pine core. These doors are naturally more expensive, because they are more trouble to make. So the veneered floor is more durable, though a very excellent floor may be laid in hard wood seven-eighths thick over a rough floor of pine, providing the wood has been properly seasoned. Or a thinner floor may be laid over a perfectly level floor of pine.

Builders recommend quartered white oak as the very best material for floors. This is a western wood and costs about \$100 a 1,000 feet in this state. Maple and birch, which are much cheaper woods, also make excellent floors. Native birch, which may be bought in this state as low as \$40 a 1,000 feet, is a very hard, smooth wood, and makes a very durable kitchen floor which does not sliper up like Georgia pine. Narrow boards, measuring about two inches or less laid, make a most desirable floor. The skillful carpenter matches his joints with faultless precision, planes and scrapes his floor and polishes it down with hard wood shavings after it is laid, as well as finishing it before. When this is properly done, hardly a joint is visible, and it is then ready to be filled.

It is this process that is so often neglected and upon which so much depends. It should be a thoroughly trustworthy wood filler, purchased from a dealer whose name is a guarantee for his goods. These fillers usually come by the pound, often in paste form, and may be thinned to a proper consistency with turpentine. It is applied to the wood with a brush, and all that remains on the surface is polished off with hard wood shavings or excelsior. This filler is allowed to dry about 12 hours, when a coat of wax is applied, or of prepared oil if you prefer it. Where oil is used it should be thinned with a certain amount of "drier."

The best wax is a preparation of turpentine and beeswax, properly melted together, and is kept by all dealers in parquetry floors. The chief mistake that amateurs make is to apply this wax too generously. An expert in this matter says that a pound of wax ought to cover 300 feet of surface. After the wax is applied and rubbed in with a weighted brush it should be allowed to stand for awhile and a second coat applied before the floor is used.

A great many American families attempt to take care of a hardwood floor without a brush. This is a waste of much laborious energy. The work can be accomplished by the use of a brick wrapped in flannel and then in cotton, but it cannot be properly accomplished except by a strong man, while an ordinary servant can readily wield the 22 pound brush, which sells in our shops at from \$3.50 to \$4 and with care will last many years. It should be passed first across the grain of the wood. Then the floor should be vigorously polished with the grain of the wood.

Finally a piece of old carpet is laid down and the floor is polished under this. A properly cared for floor should be polished with the brush once a week. It should not be re-waxed oftener than once a month or once in two or three months, according to the amount of wear on it. After a certain period of time it may be necessary to scrape the floor and apply some kind of restorer, though this should be hardly required unless the floor has been improperly dressed.

Of course the best way of polishing such a floor is in the foreign fashion, with a brush attached to one foot of a robust man, who goes skating about until the surface gleams like marble. But this method is not often possible in this country except in those households where there are foreign menservants.—New York Tribune.

## In a Hury.

"It's a rapid age," said the big policeman thoughtfully. "A terribly rapid age. Everybody's in a hurry." "What's the matter now?" inquired the man who was waiting for a street car.

"Why, we've got the trolley car, haven't we?"

"Yes."

"And the cable car fender?"

"To be sure."

"And the cigarettes?"

"Quite so."

"And yet you read in the papers every day about people so blamed impatient that they go and commit suicide."

—Washington Star.

## OFFICIAL WHIPPING.

How Boy Criminals are Punished by Thrashing in England.

Boys who are found guilty of minor offenses in England are sentenced by the judges to a sound thrashing at the hands of the policeman. Here is a description of it taken from an English paper:

The birch is a very different instrument of torture from the cat. The former is made up of a number of long birch twigs, while the latter is really a whip with nine knotted small cord lashes. When the cat is administered, the prison doctor must be present, but when the birch is put on it is only necessary for the inspector or superintendent of police to witness it, although the parents or near relatives of a boy sentenced to be flogged may be present at the castigation. When a dose of the cat is dealt out, none but those connected with the prison are allowed to be there.

Like the cat the birch may be made a very severe punishment or a comparatively trivial affair, not merely according to the number of strokes, but from the instructions given the constable who is told off to do the flogging. I have seen a boy after six strokes resemble nothing so much as a piece of raw beef and bleeding fearfully, while I have also seen a boy after six strokes merely a trifle red.

Some policemen dread the duty of flogging, and after the first two strokes get a sharp order to "hit the boy and not play with him." Other constables delight in the work and boast of their ability to draw blood at the first stroke.

Various modes of administering the punishment obtain in different parts of the country. In some places boys are placed face downward on a form. One constable holds his arms and head firmly, while another does him the same service with his legs, and the third administers the punishment.

In other prisons the culprit is placed on a constable's back, and as he sits there with his arms around the officer's neck, awaiting "the event," his attitude strikes a spectator more as one of affection than discomfort. Another way is to compel a boy to lean over a chair as if he were praying, then run a strap tight around his legs and the legs of the chair, a constable holding his head and arms from the other side.—Brooklyn Eagle.

## THROUGH OTHER EYES.

Life at Harvard College From the English Point of View.

The student life of America is eminently an American institution. It has grown up in an odd compound of native manners and foreign influences, which form an essentially new product. It is a good deal more complex in its organization than anything known on the Isis or the Cam. There is more details in it, and consequently less breadth of effect.

The university organizations are innumerable. Men are banded together in college clubs for every conceivable purpose of study or amusement. Their bond of union may be their attempt to talk Greek with the accent of modern Attica, or it may be only a passion for dominoes, but it has all the notes of institution in its machinery of committee, president and secretaries. Great variety of life comes from the differences in fortune among the students, but of late years there has been a laudable attempt on the part of the university and college authorities to introduce a more uniform simplicity. Plain living is the cry, and with this secured it is believed the thinking will take care of itself.

At Harvard some time ago Professor Palmer tried to discover how far the living had departed from the philosophic standard by asking some hundreds of students for a return of their annual expenditure. The answers showed that Harvard at least had nothing to be ashamed of. Many of the students, less than a fourth, spent less than \$130 a year; some less than \$100. The average probably did not amount to the \$200 a year which the professor regards as an entirely adequate allowance for both ease and refinement. Yale is less costly than Harvard, so these institutions at least are not open to the reproach that they have introduced the millionaire into American university life.—London News.

## The Duke of York's Baby.

There is a report that the Duke of York's baby is deaf and dumb, but everybody will hope that it is not true, and that the royal suckling will talk and hear as well as anybody when the time comes. If not, the disability will not be without its alleviations. Only a few of his line have said anything good or heard anything good of themselves in six generations. One of his successors earned this epitaph, which he may deserve whether he talks or not:

Here lies Prince Fred,  
Who was alive and is dead.  
Had it been his father  
I had much rather.  
Had it been his brother  
Sooner than the other.  
Had it been his sister  
There's no one would have missed her.  
Had it been his whole generation  
All the better for the nation.  
But as it's only Fred,  
Who was alive and is dead,  
There is nothing to be said.  
—New York Tribune.

## A Trick of the Huntsman.

During a visit to Montana a prominent Chicago gentleman went with a party just starting for a grand "hunt for big game in the Yellowstone region." He remarked to the leader, "You cannot hunt in Yellowstone park." "Oh, no," said the leader. "We go outside the limits of the park, and if the game won't come to use we know how to manage to make it come." Such excursions are not uncommon, and it will not be strange if hungry Indians should occasionally imitate their white brethren.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

## Too Dense For Him.

Stage Villain—Aha! The plot thickens.  
Disgusted Auditor—Then I'm off! Can't make head or tail of it now, and I'll never see through it if it gets any thicker.—London Tit-Bits.

## DO FISHES TALK?

Here Is Testimony From a Man Who Thinks They Do.

We have heard of the language of monkeys, and of the language of hens, and of the language of crows, and even of ants, but it will be a new idea to most people, probably, that fishes have a language of their own. An English fisherman, Mr. Basil Field, has been making some investigations that lead him to suppose that fishes have some way of communicating a notion of their experiences to other fishes.

Mr. Field carried on his experiments in the fishponds of Mr. Andrew, at Guilford, England. Those ponds are full of trout, which, at the time when Mr. Field first visited them, were so little accustomed to being troubled that when he threw a baited hook into the water all the trout in sight—a great number—rushed eagerly upon it. He caught one, and removing it from the hook, threw it back into the pond.

Then he put in a freshly baited hook, and only two or three trout came after it. One of these he caught and threw back into the water. Again he resumed his fishing with a newly baited hook, and this time, although the pond was swarming with fish, it was only after a long time that he lured another trout to his bait. And after a little further time it was entirely impossible to catch a trout in this pond.

However, by experimenting in another pond equally well stocked and not throwing back any fish Mr. Field found that he could catch trout as long as he chose. The fish did not seem to understand that the removal of one of their number by this strange means meant danger to them, but came continually to the bait.

If, Mr. Field reasons, it is only when the captured fish, released, goes back and mingles with his fellows that the danger is learned, and then is learned instantly, it must follow that the released fish has some means of making the others understand the perils of the hook. This, whatever it is, may be called a "language."—Fortnightly Review.

## NO HURRY IN NORWAY.

People Take Their Time There and Wonder at Yankee Visitors.

These Norwegians are a wonderfully patient people, says a correspondent. They never hurry. Why should they? There is always time enough. We breakfast at 9 o'clock. Monsieur goes to business at 10 or so, and returns to his dinner, like all the rest of the Scandinavian world, at 2:30. We reach coffee and cigarettes at about 4, and then Monsieur goes back to his office, if he likes, for two or three hours. We sometimes see him again at supper at 8:30, but usually there is a game of whist, or a geographical society lecture, or a concert, or a friend's birthday fete (an occasion never overlooked by your true Norwegian), or some one has received a barrel of oysters, and would not, could not, dream of opening them without champagne and company—masculine company only. It seems to me that there are entirely too many purely male festivities here. In fact, the men say so themselves and that they would really enjoy many of the occasions much more if ladies were present. But "it is not the custom of the country" (a rock on which I am always foundering) to omit or to change in such matters. Monsieur only does as do all the other men of his age, which is elderly, and condition, which is solid.

There is a curious feeling concerning America over here in one way and another. Morgenbladet, the chief conservative paper, an organ locally of the first importance, keeps a sort of horror chamber of Americana. The reason is, I suppose, that in these very dark and troublous political times, when not only the union but the monarchy itself is threatened and tottering, the conservative interest thinks it dangerous to allow any virtue to appear in a republic, and especially in ours, the most flourishing, and therefore the most pernicious, example of that invention of evil bred.—San Francisco Examiner.

## Animals in Lubach's Earthquake.

An observer of animal life has collected (our Vienna correspondent says) a number of notes upon the behavior of animals during the earthquake at Lubach. A railway guard observed that some minutes before the first shock was felt his owl, chained to a toothsome, cried as if for help, and he was with it when the earthquake began. Some forest guards observed hares running, as if for their lives, up a hill before the first shock. Partridges flew a long distance. A gentleman who spent the night of Easter Sunday in a carriage saw the pigeons and hawks on a tower flying round it every time that a shock was near. Sparrows and redbreasts also fluttered about and seemed to overcome their fear of men. The most excited of all were the horses. They trembled long before a shock occurred, and some fell on their knees and sides. The dogs howled the whole night. When a shock was near, their cries were so strange that they struck the ear as something not heard before.—London News.

## Beat the Law.

Up at Hampden Park, in Springfield, when the Massachusetts antipool law was rigidly enforced a few years ago, Uncle Ed Morse and other pool sellers cleverly evaded it by putting up for sale at "auction" cards having printed on them the picture of a horse. "How much an I offered for this picture of Prince Wilkes?" was the query. "Sold for \$100 to Mr. X. Prince Wilkes sold for \$100, what do I hear for this picture of Patron?" It was easy enough. All the change was that the auctioneer had to say a few more words.—Hartford Times.

## Waived Responsibility.

Wiggles—If anybody inquires for me within ten minutes, will you tell them that I'll be right back?  
Waggles—No; I'll tell 'em you said you would.—Somerville Journal.

## ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING.

Its Recent and Rapid Development Upon the Continent.

Before a recent meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers Mr. H. Ward Leonard delivered an interesting address upon electrical engineering developments in France and England as contrasted with those in America. In its commercial development of electricity America is placed first—in fact, far in advance of the old world countries—but considered from an engineering standpoint Mr. Leonard thinks the United States is losing the lead it has thus far held. He lays the responsibility for this condition of affairs almost entirely at the door of the great electrical monopolies, which have stood in the way of progress, and particularly in preventing the trial of devices and systems of which Europe presents varieties unknown to us. He questions what has been done in this country in the way of electrical engineering development since Edison started his three wire lightning distribution at Sunbury, Pa., in 1883, and Westinghouse established his alternating system with 1,000 volt primary and 50 volt secondary a few years later, and Sprague started the Richmond electric railroad in 1887. There has of course been great extension of installation along these lines.

We have, Mr. Leonard says, the best three wire central station plants in the world. Also the best alternating system, converting from 1,000 to 50 volts, but we have practically no other kind of central station to point to. We are operating 500 volt continuous current electric railways at distances for which 2,000 volts should be used instead of 500, and after investing more money in copper per car than the entire cost of the electrical equipment we still lose twice as much energy as is commercial in the line. In England in alternating systems a three wire secondary is used with 100 volts on each side, and, according to Mr. Leonard's view, there was no excuse except patents for a 50 volt two wire secondary originally, and none save the inertia and prejudice of a large corporation for continuing to put in the two wire secondary today.

Rotary transformers are used in several stations in England for a continuous current, high potential multiple arc distribution, the secondary being a three wire system, and some American inventions not patented in England are found to have been utilized in central stations there, while they have been neglected in the land of their inception.—Providence Journal.

## A Frog With Four Wings.

The curiosity of tropical Africa is the wonderful flying frog, first described by Bishop of the equatorial African expedition, which returned to Europe in the fall of 1894. This oddity of the reptile family is about the size of a common bullfrog and resembles other members of the order of batrachians in everything but its feet, each of which is webbed and enormously enlarged, so much so as to form splendid substitutes for true wings. The creature has five toes on each of the other two, which makes four separate membranes on each of its hind feet and three on each fore foot, or 14 in all. In his description of it Bishop says, "Each leg terminates in a sort of fan, and with these the little reptile paddles the air like a locust, or like a partially fledge bird testing its pinions for the first time."

Although somewhat awkward in its flight, the winged frog can dart through the air at a speed of about ten yards per second and can keep itself going forward at that rate for from 10 to 15 seconds. The average distance covered by these spurts of grasshopperlike flight is from 75 to 125 yards, but Bishop mentions instances where the flying frog cleared sandy stretches 200 yards in width.—St. Louis Republic.

## He Denied the Call.

An English army officer tells an amusing story of an incident that occurred at Maidstone many years ago, in the time of the old cavalry depot. On a certain very foggy night there was a complete silence, broken only by the voices of the sentries who, at regular intervals, passed the usual word down the line. The officer woke up just as the usual watch was passing, and this was what he heard: "First sentry, 'No. 1, and all's well!' Then there was silence for a moment, and a voice called into the darkness, 'No. 3, and all's well, and No. 2's asleep!' Before No. 4 could take up the thread of the proceedings a voice in which more than a suspicion of slumber remained cried hurriedly, 'No. 2, and all's well, and No. 3's a liar!'"

## Treachery.

The word treachery has undergone an odd modification. At first it was applied to such deceptions of roots or other substances as were deemed beneficial in medical practice. Then, as these were frequently sweetened, it came to mean any sweet concoction or confection, and lastly, as molasses was the sweetest of all, this name was exclusively applied to sirup.

## The Small Brother Again.

Mr. Courtney (flatteringly)—I had the blues when I came here tonight, Miss Fisher, but they are all gone now. You are as good as medicine.

Miss Fisher's Little Brother—Yes; father himself says she'll be a drug in the market if she doesn't catch on to some fellow soon.—Philadelphia Times.

An Irishman, quarreling with an Englishman, told him if he didn't hold his tongue he would "break his impenetrable head and let the brains out of his empty skull."

The sun throws 'vertical rays on the earth's surface only upon an area equal to about 35 square miles at any one time.

In 1870 the Thames froze solid and a fair was held on the ice. It was kept open for nine weeks.

## THE BLUES.

Why do Women have the Blues more than Men?

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

Are not women naturally as light-hearted, brave, and hopeful as men?

Yes; but woman's organism is different from man's.

Women in perfect or good health are rarely victims of this symptom.

Women nearly monopolize the blues, because their peculiar ailments promote them. When the female organs fail to perform their functions properly, when the dreaded female complaints appear, there is shown nervousness, sleeplessness, faintness, backache, headache, bearing-down pains, etc., causing the dreaded "let-me-alone" and "all-gone" feelings.

When the woman does not understand what the matter is, and her doctor can not or will not tell her, she grows morose and melancholy; that's the blues.

Mrs. Newton Cobb, of Manchester, O., says: "My dear E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will correct all this trouble. I cannot praise it enough. I am pleased to tell every one that it cured me; and if it will cure me, why not others? I am sure my case was severe enough." It will. Get it of your druggist at once.

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## Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George F. Higgins and Annie A. Higgins his wife in her right to the Cape Ann Savings Bank dated May 19th 1892 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds Lib 217 Folio 688 for breach in the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on the next legal day on Tuesday the Seventeenth day of September A. D. 1895 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon all and singular the premises described in said mortgage namely all that parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of the City of Newton in the County of Middlesex called Newton Upper Falls containing sixty thousand six hundred and ten square feet more or less and bounded as follows: Beginning at the most northerly corner of the granted premises at land late of Moses Crafts and running South about 14° East as wall stands by said Crafts land two hundred and fifty-three feet to bound at a contemplated street forty feet wide, sometimes called Thurston Road; thence southerly by said street to the line of a lot containing thirty-seven feet to a corner; thence North 94° 4' West by land formerly of Lewis Mord on land of said Crafts and running South about 14° East as wall stands by said Crafts land two hundred and fifty-three feet to bound at a contemplated street forty feet wide, sometimes called Thurston Road; thence southerly by said street to the line of a lot containing thirty-seven feet to a corner; 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## NEWTON.

—Pianos, Farley, 433 Washington St., N.

—Mr. Chas. A. Balmori is in Maine on a hunting and fishing trip.

—Mr. G. A. Shearer, of Bellevue street has returned from Hull.

—Fred Green has returned from an outing at Beachwood, Cohasset.

—Dr. F. L. McIntosh and family have returned from Lake Sunapee.

—Charles Bisconti, the well known fruit merchant, is reported quite ill.

—Miss Susie Atkins has gone to Springfield for a two weeks' vacation.

—Miss Grace Hill will open her private class in dancing early in October.

—Fine watch and clock repairing at W. A. Hodgdon's, 326 Centre street.

—Mr. John Housen of Middlebury, Vt., has been visiting friends in town.

—Mr. E. D. Conant and family have returned from their summer home at Hull.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Flint left yesterday for a trip through the White Mountains.

—Mr. John T. Wells of Franklin street and family have returned from the shore.

—Miss Julie Phelps of New York is the guest of Miss Mary Wilder of Fairmont avenue.

—Mr. Edwin Lowe, clerk at the post-office, has been enjoying his two weeks vacation.

—The fall term for violin pupils of Mr. L. Edw. Chase, 211 Church street, will begin October 1st.

—Mr. C. A. Haskell and family of Sargent street returned Wednesday from Swampscott.

—Mrs. G. H. Van Voorhis and H. Courtland Van Voorhis, have returned from Lake Sunapee, N. H.

—Mr. T. C. Phelps of the Hunnewell left yesterday for a month's hunting in the wilds of Maine.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stearns have gone to Newton Inn, Norwich, Vt., for the month of September.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pope and family of Hunnewell Hill, have returned from their summering at Cohasset.

—Mr. J. N. Damon and family and Mr. J. M. Whittemore and family have returned from Annapolis.

—Fred Lowe, a recent graduate of Miss Spear's school, holds a position with the Ginn Publishing Co.

—Mr. E. M. Springer and family returned Saturday from North Sydney, Me., to their home on Kendrick park.

—A detailed engine, in the freight yard Saturday afternoon, delayed the inward bound 4.05 train, ten minutes.

—Mr. Benjamin Johnson of Pearl street has entered upon his duties as mailing clerk at the Watertown post-office.

—Mr. H. S. Crowell and family and Mr. A. M. Peirce and family have returned from their summer homes at Penzance.

—At a meeting of the Newtonian Cycle Club, Wednesday evening, it was voted to purchase a pool table, and to engage the services of a janitor to take charge of the rooms.

—Mrs. Charles F. Payne and her daughter, Miss Gertrude Holister, of Orange, N. J., who were in Newton last week visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Friebe, have returned home.

—Rev. Dr. C. W. Rishell, professor of Church History in the Theological School of Boston University, has come into Mr. Barber's house, 158 Newtonville avenue. He comes here from Springfield, Ohio.

—Mr. Louis E. P. Smith has been driving a party of friends through the White Mountains on his handsome drag. Among the guests were Mrs. George L. Hurl, Miss Sylvester and the Misses Durban of Boston.

—At the Springfield Bicycle races, Wednesday, the five-mile professional handicap record was reduced from 11:50 to 11:34.25 by A. W. Porter, who was made a star by the withdrawal of Tyler and Sanger.

—Mrs. Francis Eaton Eckley, wife of Henry Eckley, who died in Alameda, Cal., Aug. 21, at the age of 65 years, was well known to the older residents of Newton when she was Miss Gilmore, her father owning a large part of Hunnewell Hill.

—An alarm was rung in from box 245, shortly after 5 P. M. Tuesday, for fire in the barn owned and occupied by John Shorten, corner of Faxon and California streets. It was damaged to the extent of about \$50. The fire was of incendiary origin.

—George Perkins and James Dougherty, two boys aged 10 and 12 years, were caught starting a fire in the rear of the post office, next the wooden building there. They were given a severe talking to by Judge Blaney in the police court and warned not to do so again.

—Music at Grace church, Sunday Sept. 15, at 7.30 p. m.

Processional, "O Mother dear Jerusalem,"

Magnificat, "How goodly are Thy tents,"

Nunc Dimittis, "On our way rejoicing,"

Recessional, "On our way rejoicing,"

Seats free.

—The Newton Hospital executive committee met Tuesday. A bill rule has been adopted similar to that in other hospitals, requiring private patients to pay weekly or to give the authorities a guarantee that all bills will be met. The hospital depends for the support of the private patient department upon its current receipts and the rule is therefore, regarded as a necessary and very proper one.

—It was a very black face that appeared in the procession last Sunday night in Grace church. Then later on the owner of it stood up, and made a very straightforward defence of the colored people of the South. There was no mistaking the ring of sincerity and deep feeling as he declared there was no race contest in sight, that the colored people were going to make themselves worthy of their country, and that the two races needed each other here. The speaker was the Rev. Mr. Cain of Texas.

—A pleasant home wedding in Newton Wednesday evening was that of Mr. Howard Cole and Miss Annie Estelle Apple, which was solemnized at the residence of the groom on Jefferson street in the presence of a large company of friends and relatives. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. Francis B. Hornbrook of Channing church. The best man was Mr. Harry P. Cole, and the maid of honor Miss Isabel Cole, sister of the groom. George P. Apple, Herbert H. Apple, Wilson Palmer and Henry P. Cole were ushers. The bride was dressed in white silk, en traine, with tulle veil. She carried a bunch of white roses. Miss Cole was gown in white muslin with trimmings of rose pink. Her bouquet was of white chrysanthemums. An informal reception followed immediately after the ceremony, during which Mr. and Mrs. Cole received the congratulations of a large

number of friends. On their return from their wedding tour they will reside on Carleton street, and will be at home after Oct. 15.

—Mrs. C. B. Prescott of Centre street has returned from Wianco.

—Mr. Chester Guild and family have returned from Kennebunkport.

—Mr. A. P. Turner and family of Sargent street have returned from Nahant.

—Mr. George Bailey of Boyd street returned from his vacation spent at Providence, R. I.

—Special attention given to cutting children's hair, in any style desired, at J. Burns, Cole's block.

—Mrs. Helen E. H. Wright will resume her teaching in vocal culture, Sept. 30. See card for date and place.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert White have returned from their honeymoon in Europe, and are at the Hunnewell for September.

—School of Sloyd will open Thursday, Sept. 19, at Room 2, Bacon's block. Information given at the room or at 257 Park street.

—Mrs. Robbins and Miss E. J. Robbins have returned from their vacation at the Mountains, and will soon go to New York to attend the fall millinery openings.

—Mrs. Ellen B. Cutler, formerly Miss Paine, a teacher in the Bigelow school, will receive pupils for piano instruction at her home, 11 Maple avenue, after Sept. 16.

—Mr. Charles S. Sumner left this week for Atlanta, Ga., to take charge of the Pope Manufacturing Co. exhibit at the Southern States Exposition, which opens on the 18th inst.

—Clarence Magee, a small boy from Everett, who was in the streets yesterday, having lost his way. The police cared for him until his parents were notified.

—The concert at the Newton Boat Club, tomorrow night, will be a notable event, as it will be illumination night also. The full band of the American Watch Company will furnish the music.

—The Garden City Real Estate agency has leased one side of the Rottford double house on Hunnewell Terrace, to J. M. O'Neil; also Henry Fuller's cottage at 23 Pearl street, to Mrs. E. Chandler.

—Rev. Samuel Jackson, a former pastor, will exchange pulpits with Rev. Mr. Bronson, next Sunday morning. Mr. Bronson will return in time to preach at the evening service. Strangers always welcome.

—The house which was burned at Glen Rock, Nantasket, on the night of Sept. 4, was destroyed by Mrs. Walter Stearns of Newton, instead of J. Stearns of Newton Centre, as stated in Boston papers. Loss \$2500.

—Monday night at the regular drill of Co. C, Lieut. Springer will organize a bayonet squad. This is a new departure and has met with approval. Fourteen picked men will be chosen who will all endeavor to make a good showing.

—There is a movement on foot among the members of Co. C to organize a football team. The promoters of the scheme are Lieut. Springer, Sergt. Daley, Corporal Barrows and Private Forsane, all of whom have good reputations as to their ability in the "rugby" art.

—Rev. L. T. Chamberlain, D. D., of Philadelphia, will preach at Eliot church Sunday at 10 o'clock, and evening services. Dr. Chamberlain is a powerful preacher, whose sermons are noted for their wealth of illustration. He will be heard by large audiences at both services.

—Mr. Edward F. Barnes has leased his house, corner of Bellevue street and Newtonville avenue, furnished to Mr. George W. Brown of the firm of Bullard, Brown & Fiske, High street, Boston. Mr. Barnes will reside with his mother after Oct. 1st, at 31 Channing street.

—John E. Crowdie, clerk at F. A. Hubbard's, who has been on his vacation, had the misfortune to be on the Portland road when it was run down Sunday night. He says that the affair was much worse than reported in the papers and one long to be remembered by the passengers.

—An Indian family of the Kickapoo tribe, picturesquely attired in their native dress, have attracted attention, when in a window of the Corner Pharmacy, the past week. They are advertising the Kickapoo remedies and are selling their needle and other handwork as a side speculation.

—Music at Eliot church, Sunday, Sept. 15: MORNING SERVICE.

Te Deum in G, Holden

Alto Solo, "By the waters of Babylon," Howell

Organ Prelude, Schumann

Organ Postlude, Whitting

EVENING SERVICE.

Organ Prelude, Salome

Anthem, "What are these," Stainer

Bass Solo, "O Holy Father," Franz

Organ Postlude, "Sing praises to God," Waring

Organ Postlude, Lachner

—Quite a change has been made by the city workmen, in the appearance of Washington street, near Walnut park, and some idea can be gained of what the street will be when widened. A number of teams have been employed all the week in carting dirt from the side of the Bellevue street bridge to fill in the Spear and Flanagan land, and the boards that have been put up to indicate how much the street is to be widened, near the Church street crossing. The indications that the work is to be pushed will be welcomed by the public. It is said that the road will make a turning next month, on the work preparatory to depressing the tracks.

—The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Ball to Mr. Charles H. Woodworth of Newtonville, took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. Ball on Eldridge street, Wednesday evening. It was a private wedding, only relatives and a few intimate friends being present. Rev. J. M. Du ton, pastor of the Congregational church, Newtonville, officiated. The house was beautifully decorated with ferns and flowers. The bride was crowned in white tulle, and her flowers were orange blossoms. Miss Florence E. Ball, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor and wore a gown of white crepe, trimmed with satin ribbon. Mr. E. Harold Woodworth was best man. The happy couple left on a wedding tour mid a shower of rice.

—Reginald Huntington, aged 17 years, will work the dumb and dumb racket on lower side of the road, now serving two months in the house of correction. His game was an old one, but one that always seems to work except in this instance. He carried a letter home reporting to come from Dr. Morton of Philadelphia, and urging charitably disposed people to give Huntington what pecuniary assistance they cared to, as his case was a most deserving one. Friday night he called on a resident of Franklin street, who kindly but firmly told him, or rather wrote it on a tablet, that he could do nothing for him, where upon Huntington wrote some insulting language in return. The householder then ordered him from the premises and Reginald impudently thumbed his nose and left. This was more than the gentleman could stand so he telephoned for the police. Sergt. Clay and Officer Elwell soon arrived and were given a good description of the man and an account of his actions. The officers soon found him near the square. He found his

power of speech when accosted by Sergt. Clay, and in response to the officers' question, "Talk, why of course I can talk." He admitted his crooked dealings and said he was trying to work his way to his brother in Rochester, N. H. In a police court he was given the sentence mentioned above.

—The Boston policeman, stationed at Oak Square, threatens to arrest any one riding a bicycle on the sidewalks on Tremont street, between Oak Square and the Newton line. As the road is nearly a foot deep with mud, on account of the sewer, and is besides all cut up into ruts, it is either riding on the sidewalks or walking, for several hundred wheelmen daily, as that is the only outlet from this part of Newton into Boston. As the contractor who laid the sewer is said to have guaranteed to put the street in good order, it looks as if the police had better report him, or else allow the sidewalks to be used, under proper regulations as to speed. The road is a disgrace to the city of Boston, and the teamsters all complain of it. The alderman from the Brighton district does not seem to look after his section very carefully, and the contractor is a great one, as soon as the Newton line is passed.

—The most magnificent thunder storm Newton ever experienced was that of Wednesday. Between 2.30 and 3 p. m. it was too dark to see to read, sharp flashes of lightning came every minute, and the thunder rolled incessantly with a deafening noise, varied now and then by a terrific crash, as if the foundation of things were giving way. The rain fell in torrents, with such force that it was a great one, as soon as the Newton line is passed.

—The storm in Waltham was even more severe than in Newton, the lightning struck in a dozen places, with slight damages, and so much water fell that some of the stores were flooded. Another storm followed about midnight, and a good deal of water fell.

—Mr. Ida was the scene of a very pretty wedding, Wednesday evening, when Miss Edith M. Tower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Tower of Newtonville avenue, was married to Mr. H. A. Kimball, a graduate of Tufts College, and a member of the firm of Spaulding, Kimball & Co. of Burlington, Vt. The large grounds surrounding the house and their elevated location makes it an ideal place for social festivities, and the piazzas were enclosed with awnings, and a large tent erected on the lawn, where refreshments were served. The ceremony was held at 7 o'clock, and was performed by Rev. Dillon Bronson. The bride was dressed in a gown of white satin, en traine, trimmed with chiffon. The groom wore a tuxedo, and carried a bouquet of diamonds, and carried a bouquet of white pines. She was given away by her father. The ceremony was performed at 7 in the large parlors, which were daintily decorated for the occasion with groupings of ferns and palms, and were redolent with color and masses of cut flowers. The bridal party stood beneath a canopy of white pines, and the bridesmaids wore white dresses, and carried bouquets of white pines. The bridesmaids were Miss Ida Adair of Toronto, Ont., and Miss Catherine Stevenson of Newton. The ushers were Messrs. Herbert M. Howes of Somerville, Walter Goodrich of Boston, and Alford B. and George B. Wood of Boston. The bride was accompanied also by her little cousin, Miss Madeline Henderson of Cambridge, and her niece, Miss May E. Bullock of Pawtucket, R. I. After the wedding a reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Tower, and the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kimball of Burlington, Vt., and more than 500 prominent people of the Newtons, Boston, Burlington, Somerville and Cambridge were present. The tent and the buildings were furnished by J. F. Banks & Son of Newton, and refreshments were served by a Boston caterer. After a brief bridal tour, Mr. and Mrs. Kimball will reside at 271 Maple street, Burlington, Vt.

—Wiley S. & Frank Edmunds have effected a further sale from Samuel M. Jackson of five acres of land on south side of Dudley street to Mr. Frank Irving Cooper, for immediate construction of a fine residence.

—Alford Bros. & Co. have sold to Harry M. Fowle one of Bertrand E. Taylor's new houses on Parker street. This is a handsome house of 12 rooms on \$750 feet of land. Mr. Fowle expects to return from the beach with his family in October.

—William B. Goodrich of the International Trust Co., Boston, has purchased through Alford Bros. & Co. a ten room house on Oxford road with about 9000 feet of land. He will move in at once. This will make a very pleasant addition to the rapidly growing neighborhood of young married people.

—Wiley S. & Frank Edmunds report the following leases: New house on Sumner street, Newton Centre, to Mr. A. T. Willow street, to Mr. A. T. Tilney of Boston, who will occupy at once; Mrs. J. E. Porter's house on Langley road, Newton Centre, to Rev. Lawrence Phelps; Guy Lamkin's house, corner of Langley road and Warren street, to Edward McLaughlin; former residence of the late Judge Pitman on Church street, Newton, to Mr. J. D. Armitage of Boston; house of Dr. R. Emerson, Rockland street, Newton, to Mr. Robinson of Falmouth.

—WABAN.

—School re-opened here on Monday.

—Mrs. Hammond Woodbury is quite ill.

—Miss Ethel Woodbury is at Centreville, Mass.

—Miss Kendrick has been spending the week at Roxbury, Mass.

—Mrs. L. K. Harlow and family are expected home this week from Cottage City, where they have their summer home.

—Mrs. J. Roylance of Bridgeport, Ala., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Heaton, returned to her home last Saturday.

—Y. M. C. A.

—Mr. C. C. Hodges of Melrose will give a smoke talk to the boys, Sunday at 3 p. m. At 4 o'clock he will address the men.

—Mr. John M. Dick and Mr. John McMulen, who were in charge of the boys' camp, visited the General Secretary, Tuesday evening.

—The junior department held a business meeting last night and listened to some of Bob Sayle's "Kamakulities."

## THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

A LARGE ATTENDANCE REPORTED FROM ALL OVER THE CITY.

The public schools opened Monday with a very large attendance at all the school houses.

The High school opened with 544 pupils, the entering class being a large one. The pupils are distributed in the various rooms as follows:

Room 1, 43; 2, 32; 3, 52; 4, 46; 11, 29; 12, 59; 13, 56; 14, 62; 15, 23; 16, 32; 18, 50; 23 and 7, 37.

At the Bigelow school, Newton, the total was 214, with an average of 36 pupils in each room. The attendance is large considering the fact that some of the pupils have not returned from their vacation trips. The Underwood is exceptionally well filled, and has 167 boys and girls, making an average of 42 in a room. Mr. Sawin said that if the Underwood became over crowded some of the pupils would be transferred to the Bigelow, and that while the attendance at the Bigelow was not as large as might be expected, he considered it a good working number. Miss Lovely has 52 scholars at the Lincoln, 31 in the upper grade, and 21 in the lower.

In the Mason school, Newton Centre, there are 334 scholars, while the Rice school contains 225. This is greater than that of any of the other villages.

The new Clafin school at Newtonville is comfortably filled by 282 pupils. In the kindergarten which is held in the old Clafin school building there are 35 under the direction of two teachers.

At Newton Highlands, 338 attend the Hyde school; 81 of these are in the kindergarten.

At the Wade school, Upper Falls, there are 221 and 19 in the kindergarten, which is held in another building, making a total of 240.

At the Pierce school, West Newton, which is soon to have a new brick building of 14 rooms, there are 265 pupils in attendance. The Barnard school has 175, the Davis 205, and the Franklin, 195.

At the parochial school on Adams street the pupils numbered 600, in all the grades.

Miss Speare's private school opened with 51 pupils, and 14 more have engaged to come, as soon as vacation is over.

A visit to the Williams school found it in excellent working order, the 8 rooms including the kindergarten containing 324 scholars.

THE PIERCE SCHOOL CONTRACT.

ALDERMAN PLUMMER MAINTAINS HIS PREVIOUS STATEMENTS.

Residents of Newton are very much interested in the controversy which has arisen between members of the public property committee and Alderman Geo. P. Bullard, who resigned from that body and gave as his reason therefor that a determined and persistent effort on the part of the majority of his associates had been made to throw the contract for the building of the Pierce school, West Newton, to one of the local bidders.

Alderman Bullard contends that the local bidder referred to was in no sense entitled to any consideration from the committee, it having by a unanimous vote rejected his bid. In an interview with a Boston reporter Wednesday evening, he stated that he had no desire to recede from the position which he had taken in the matter in having tendered his resignation, "What I said," said he, "in the letter which appeared in the Newton GRAPHIC in its last issue, I am prepared to stand by. Certain people, not familiar with the facts, attributed my resignation to pique in failing to get through the city council as large an appropriation as I deemed necessary for the proper construction of the new Pierce school. That was not my reason for taking the step. I was induced to do so because the committee went back on its vote and permitted the consideration of a bid which it had rejected for good and sufficient reasons.

"The facts in the case are substantial. A local bidder was one of others, who submitted bids to the public property committee. Shortly after submitting his bid, he went away and was absent for several days in Halifax, N. S. His secretary discovered that some mistake had been made in the estimate. He notified a member of the public property committee of that fact and acting upon advice, telegraphed to the bidder asking him if he desired to revise his bid. No reply was received from the man until the day the bids were opened. Then he came forward with a request to have a delay of two days granted in order to put in revised figures.

"The committee could not see any reason for taking such action. It was argued that the bidder had had sufficient time afforded him to prepare a revised bid, and by a unanimous vote of the committee was thrown out. Subsequently the committee changed its position in the matter and a majority insisted upon giving him another chance. I regarded it as an effort made in the direction of especially favoring a local contractor and consequently tendered my resignation. The facts in this matter can be substantiated by reference to the records of the committee's proceedings."

Councilman Briston, I believe, acted honestly in the matter, but of the other two members from the Council, I have nothing to say.

"I find myself unable to take back a single word that I have uttered bearing upon this subject, notwithstanding the vehement declarations of certain members of the public property committee to the effect that money were not influenced in the way of favoring any special contractor. I made no personal accusations nor did these gentlemen cover the

## CITY GOVERNMENT.

**THE PIERCE SCHOOL FINALLY GETS \$75,000—WASHINGTON STREET WIDENING AND OTHER HEARINGS—NEW STREETS ACCEPTED—MOVING OF BUILDINGS—COMMON COUNCILMEN MAKE EXPLANATIONS.**

Both branches of the city council were in session, Monday night, with full ranks. In the board of aldermen Mayor Bothford presided and all the aldermen were present. There was a large number present, chiefly for the hearing on the Lexington street turnout.

The first business was the hearing on the widening of Washington street from Centre street to the railroad crossing.

Mr. E. J. H. Estabrook inquired as to the width of the street at present.

The city engineer stated that it varied from 55 feet to 120 feet.

Mr. Estabrook said if the street in front of the bank was to be only 60 feet, he did not see any necessity for making the rest of the street wider.

Mrs. E. S. French, through Attorney S. L. Powers, protested against the widening as far as it effected French's corner, so-called, as it would cause the removal of the stores, and the land left would be very small and in bad shape, and valuable property would be destroyed, and to use what was left, a brick block would have to be built. Mr. Powers was unable to be present, and sent in a communication as above. No one else appeared and the hearing was closed.

## NEW STREETS.

Hearings were held on the laying out and acceptance of Langdon street, from Surrey road to Cabot street; Surrey road from Claremont to Langdon street, but no objection was made. These streets are on the westerly side of Mt. Ida.

Hearings were also held on laying a concrete walk on Lombard street from Centre to Claremont, on laying a main drain and sewer in Kirkland street, and on Grove Hill avenue, Prospect Park.

## LEXINGTON STREET TURNOUT.

The hearing on the turnout on Lexington, near the junction of River street, called out a great number of protesters from the abutments.

Mr. A. H. Sanderson said the street was very narrow, and the track at present interfered with letting his house. He also presented the protest of Mr. Underwood.

Wm. Cahill, Daniel Hickey, and James J. McLaughlin, also protested on account of the narrowness of the street. Mr. Silvea also protested and said the street was in very bad condition at present and would be worse with two tracks. He asked what benefit the public would get out of it.

President Parker said it would enable the road to make more frequent trips.

Chas. H. Cashman said he did not see what cars would pass there, as the turnout on River street and in front of the Watch factory were the only ones that could be used with the present time table.

President Parker said it would be used for the cars coming from Moody street.

Mr. Cashman said there would be no room for teams to pass, without going on the tracks.

J. F. McGlinchy and C. B. Lowe also protested.

## TELEPHONE POLES.

The Telephone Company's petition to put up poles on Waltham and High streets, called out a protest from every resident of Waltham street, except one. Mr. J. A. Potter presented the protest and said the north side residents had not many advantages, and they wanted to keep what little beauty they had. Waltham street was the most attractive thoroughfare on the north side, and the residents did not want it disfigured by poles. Every resident had signed the protest except Mr. Hill, and he had said that he would prefer a conduit. If the telephone company wished to run wires through the street, they could run them underground.

Howard Allen of the Telephone Company said a trunk line was very much needed through the street, to give better facilities toward Waltham, and the residents in the street who wished telephones could not have them without some poles. The hearing on laying wires underground through Walnut, Otis, Hillside and Alpine streets called out a remonstrance from Mrs. L. Charlotte Gould.

No one objected to a temporary turnout for the Newton Street Railway on Watertown street, and the erection of one pole, during the widening of Washington street.

No objections were made to connecting the tracks of the Newton & Boston Street Railway, and the Boston & Wellesley street railway tracks with those of the Commonwealth avenue street railway at Walnut street and at Washington street.

## FOREST STREET TURNOUT.

President Parker protested against revoking the Forest street turnout on Walnut street, Newton Highlands, as it was used on the late trips of the cars, when they ran on the 30 minute schedule, unless a location for a turnout on Lincoln street was granted to the company.

## SEWERS.

The Board of Health recommended that sewers be built on Allison and Los Angeles streets.

Mr. L. McAdams was granted license to build a stable at the corner of Centre and Walnut streets, Newton Highlands.

Peter P. Kelly of Adams street was granted license as a private sewer layer.

Herbert M. Chase and John Flood were granted licenses as auctioneers.

## CUTTING ELECTRIC WIRES.

The Newton Gas Light Company sent in a notice that it would require a deposit of \$5 from all applicants for moving buildings, that would entail a cutting of wire.

L. E. Coffin, treasurer of the Newton Real Estate Association, gave notice that he would continue to collect the rents of the buildings taken for widening Washington street, until such buildings were formally taken possession of by the city.

N. W. Tupper, through H. M. Chase, Attorney, gave notice that the tenants at 82 1/2 Washington street disputed his claim for damages, and that such damages should be paid to him.

William Clavin was granted a license to build a brick addition for stores to house on Walnut street.

Higgins & Hatch asked for concrete walk on River and Henshaw streets.

A petition for main drain and sewer on German street was received.

Edward Sands was granted license for several carriages at Newtonville.

W. H. Rogers and others asked for concrete walks on Edinboro street and

cross walks at junction of Lowell street and Edinboro place.

The Telephone Company asked for license to put up poles on Elm road, between Walnut street and Blithedale road, and hearing was granted for Sept. 23.

The Gas Company asked for license to attach cross arms to telephone poles on Grove street and Woodland avenue; also on Waverley avenue, from Sargent to Montrose street, and on Montrose and Kenilworth streets. A hearing was set for Sept. 23.

The Telephone Company asked for license to attach cross arms to the gas company's poles on Central avenue, from Washington to Turner street; also to erect poles on Washington street. Hearings will be given Sept. 23.

Residents on Ward street asked for main drain and sewer from Sumner to Ballard street.

Waban residents want a fire alarm signal box on Winsor road, near L. K. Harlow's residence.

Mrs. E. E. Glendon was granted license for intelligence office, at 267 Washington street in place of Mrs. Wright. J. Slamin was granted license as junk dealer.

Orders were passed for the laying of a sewer on Grove Hill avenue, and Kirkland street.

An order was presented for the laying out of Eddy street and the giving of the legal notices to the property owners. No damages are asked for; and a hearing was set for Oct. 7th and 14th.

Orders were passed for the widening of Institution avenue, and also of Webster street by the estate of Alzema P. Cook, and hearings on the latter appointed for Oct. 7 and 14.

## PIERCE SCHOOL HOUSE ORDER.

The order appropriating \$70,000 for the Pierce school house came up from the common council amended by making the appropriation \$75,000, the amount originally asked for by the public property committee. Alderman Bullard spoke in favor of the larger sum, and said that the way to judge of a building was to estimate its cost by foot. The Hyde school covered 7250 square feet, and cost \$7 per foot. The Adams school building was considered one of the best bargains the city had made and its cost was \$6.46 per foot. The Pierce school at \$75,000 would cost only \$6.40 per foot, or lower than either the Hyde or Adams school.

There were three features that might be cheapened, wooden stairways could be substituted for iron, by which \$1,000 could be saved; \$1500 could be saved by using soft finish instead of ash, and wood lath and two coats of plaster would save \$1000, over wire and three coats of plaster. This would only save \$3,500, but he thought it would be foolish economy. The total cost would not be above \$100,000 or near it, as the money from the land to be sold would make the total not over \$93,000.

Alderman Plummer asked how much the desks would cost.

Alderman Bullard assured the board that this sum would cover all the cost and there would be no opportunity for extras.

Alderman Hamilton said he would vote for the larger sum, but he hoped that the statement that no extras would be called for was correct. He thought it was perilously near extravagance to vote such a sum, as there were other villages with wooden buildings that would soon be asking that they be treated as well as West Newton.

Alderman Tolman said there was only one estimate outside of actual bids, that for grading, which the committee had put at \$1500, which would cover it they thought.

Alderman Plummer thought if the members were using their own money to put up such a building they would easily find a way to scale down the sum, but he did not want to stand alone and would vote for it.

The aldermen then voted from their previous action and re-elected unanimously for the \$75,000.

An order was presented giving the sums awarded for the Watertown street widening, mostly under \$100 to each property owner. The abutments were given 30 days to remove their fences.

On motion of Alderman Tolman the prohibitionists were granted the use of the City Hall, Sept. 10, for their caucus.

On motion of Alderman Green an order was passed for a large number of street lights on various streets.

An order was passed giving the city treasurer authority to collect sewer assessments and a plan of such estates to be so assessed were presented.

A drinking fountain was ordered to be set up on Beacon street near Woodward street in Waban, at a cost not to exceed \$125.

The water board was authorized to lay 375 feet of water main in Winchester Road at cost of \$390.

The sum of \$300 was appropriated for expenses of city solicitor.

## MOVING BUILDINGS.

After some discussion, an order was passed granting E. T. Granting, E. T. Bradshaw, and A. H. Sisson, leave to move buildings on Washington street, under such reasonable restrictions as the inspector of wires and superintendent of streets should impose.

The common council sent back the order for \$70,000 bonds for Pierce school house, and a new one for \$75,000 and the latter was passed.

The board then adjourned for two weeks.

## Common Council.

In the common council, the order for the Pierce school house was changed from \$70,000 to \$75,000.

The members of the highway committee were much stirred up by Alderman Bullard's charges, in the Graphic of last week, and all of them rose to a question of privilege, and denied that they had sought to "throw" the contract for the school house to a certain local bidder.

President Parker called Councilman Wing to the chair, and denied that there was any foundation for the charge, and said that the bid referred to was considered in regular order, and the committee acted only for the interests of the city.

Councilmen Briston and Hatfield also made speeches of like tenor.

## A False Diagnosis.

La Grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages, and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

## The Reason of It.

(From Puck.)

Mr. Sauer (angrily)—Why don't you be like that woman? Just look how bright and happy she is!

Mrs. Sauer (witheringly)—Yes; that is Mrs. Gollylight—a widow.

## Prohibition Caucus.

The prohibitionists of Newton met in a mass caucus in the police court room at West Newton, Tuesday evening, to elect delegates to the state, senatorial and councilor conventions.

The caucus organized by the choice of H. A. Imman as chairman and E. O. Burdon, secretary.

The following delegates were chosen: State—H. A. Imman, E. O. Burdon, W. H. Partridge, George S. Houghton, N. E. Pike, Joseph Howes, W. M. Lisle, Edward F. Conant, R. W. Waters, F. F. Davidson, C. C. Bragdon, W. H. Cobb, G. L. Snow, L. E. Spear, H. E. Locke, Richard Rowe, Luther Paul and Joseph Temperly.

Senatorial—George S. Houghton, E. F. Kimball and E. O. Burdon.

Councilor—H. A. Newman, W. A. Partridge and W. M. Cobb.

The ward committee was instructed to fill all vacancies in the delegations, and was authorized to act as a committee to nominate two candidates for the house of representatives.

The following ward and city committee was chosen for the ensuing year: S. L. B. Spear, S. P. Chase, Charles Aury, George S. Houghton, P. F. Davidson, G. L. Snow, George M. Blodgett, Joseph Temperly, H. E. Locke, John S. Rowe, W. M. Cobb, Luther Paul, R. W. Waters, W. H. Partridge, E. F. Conant and Charles O. Lummis.

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## In the Nature of an Accident.

(From the San Francisco Post.)

A gentleman dropped into the reception room of General Superintendent Fillmore of the Southern Pacific Railway yesterday and sent in his card. Mr. Fillmore glanced at it, tore a blank pass out of his book, signed his name to it, and, handing it to the office boy, said: "Fill that out for him."

A moment later the door flew open and the visitor rushed in.

"What the dickens do you mean by sending out this pass?" he demanded. "Didn't you come down for a pass?"

"No, I didn't."

"Well, well, well, that's funny, laughed Fillmore. "You visit me every day in the year and 384 out of the 365 it's a pass and I thought of course that was what you wanted. Better take it any way. If you don't I'll feel all day as if I had forgotten or neglected something, and he had another laugh at his friend's discomfiture.

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## UNCLE SIMON'S FIRST SCHOOL.

## PART II.

Sunday was spent in resting and in making plans. The next day, I went early to the schoolhouse and started the fires, and waited for the appearance of the country lads and lassies. They came straggling in, some greeting me awkwardly, but more going shyly to their seats where they looked me over with a perfect battery of stares. Among the gathering were a few over twenty-one years of age, and these took the back seats of honor, leaving the remainder to be scrambled for by the younger ones. By nine o'clock, perhaps fifty were there, ranging in age and size from a stalwart fellow of twenty-three to a little girl of three summers.

The exercises of the morning had been carefully planned and went off quietly. At noon, I breathed a sigh of relief, recalling the good order and attention of the pupils, and realizing how easily it might have been otherwise. For underneath the stillness of the room, I was well aware of the suppressed excitement and noticed I was watched and listened to with more than ordinary curiosity.

Many of those from a distance brought their dinner and ate them on benches around the corner stoves. The afternoon was without special incident until three o'clock, when, at some signal unnoticed by me, while occupied about half the scholars rose, and, with books in hand, moved toward the doorway beside my desk. I stepped quickly to it, and, standing in it, said, "Scholars, you must not leave the school in this way. I forbid it. If you go, the blame is yours and your parents. I shall teach those who remain."

Joe Woodman spoke, "Our parents have told us to leave school this afternoon and bring home our books, we've got 'o obey and go." I made no further resistance as I realized they were acting under orders and were not to blame. Indeed, Frank Woodman, a boy standing out boy, burst into tears and said, "I don't want to go, for I like you, but I must do what father says." And so, quietly, with many of the girls and younger boys crying, they passed out and went home, making no disturbance outside.

In the room with me were left the representatives of the Farmer families, some twenty-three in all as I remember, and a most enjoyable set of pupils they proved to be. Some were older and larger than I, and, with rare exception, all were ambitious and earnest. They were pained at the going of the Woodmans, and in the days which followed, maintained, for my sake it seemed, the most perfect order and helpfulness. Truly, it had not been for the unfortunate circumstances in which we were placed, the hours of teaching those faithful and friendly pupils everything possible from the alphabet to algebra would have been the happiest of my life in the school room.

But that afternoon, I had not learned the devotion and spirit of my remaining scholars, and after the last boy had gone about five o'clock, I must confess I felt badly. I have not felt as 'blue' since. I remember I sat at my desk on the platform leaning forward, thinking over the day and the possible outcome. A number of depressing events had occurred in my immediate family, and in my own private affairs, and now just as I was making a beginning to earn my way, this cruel thing must come and dash my hopes. Life seemed hard.

Well, I was in this melancholy frame of mind when there gleamed from a little dark hole under the side bench what seemed like two jewels. In a moment more the head of a mouse came peering out: soon the body followed and mouse number one crept cautiously over to the crumple on the floor about the stove, scattered from the scholar's lurches. Mouse number two then appeared, and others until half-a-dozen of them were nibbling or trotting about. After finishing every stray crumb, they began capering round the room, playing the liveliest games imaginable of tag and hide and seek. I had remained motionless observing their antics with intense interest, but, when a mouse ran upon my shoe and seemed likely to crawl further, I could not resist the impulse and cried, "shoo!" What followed beggars description. Imagine the desperate scrambling, the long attempts of six frightened mice to get once into one small hole. It was too comical and I broke into loud laughter, which served to throw the laggards nearly into convulsions. I laughed till the tears ran, and felt better.

"Did the mice come out again?" Oh, yes; I sat still, stiller, thinking over my plans with new courage, when the performance was repeated. Out came a sharp little nose and the bright eyes of the leader, and soon all were chasing each other about the floor, even jumping on the benches and desks. It was the merriest and most helpful, as well as the cheapest, entertainment I ever witnessed.

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Firm in my sense of duty, I started for my work on Tuesday. The fields and woods presented a scene of wonderful beauty. Sleet and rain had fallen in the night, and now every blade of grass, every twig and branch of bush and tree were encrusted with ice. The sun burst forth and made a dazzling spectacle. Myriads of spectrum flashes, like little rainbows, came from the glittering prisms. Clumps of white birches, with their weighty loads, drooped over in weeping curves till their tops touched the ground, and, with the pendant boughs of spruces and hemlocks, made a fairland, as if the Ice King had enchanted the landscape.

Exhilarated in spirit, I reached the building, and, a moment after, touched the shavings on the stove hearths with lighted matches. I rubbed my cold hands in anticipation of the roaring fires

which were to ensue. But they didn't roar, only smoked and smoked. I thought the draught was poor that morning, so I knelt and puffed hard enough to break a modern lung-tester. Still no flames, but infinite smoke, now issuing from every crevice of the stoves, bringing tears to my eyes as I blew persistently below. The smoke grew dense and the creosote plentiful. Here's trouble, thought I; some trick in this! Just then James Farmer arrived and suggested, after an exorable "Whew! what in tarnation's the matter?" that 'praps there wuz a board or somethin' on the chimney. He ran out and returned saying, "I seed nothin' there, 'praps there's somethin' or other in the pipes." We disjoined them near the stoves and 'there wuz somethin' in the pipes,—great wads of wet hay filling a foot or two of their lengths. All this time smoke poured forth, but my temper was up and I meant to explore the whole affair. After throwing pails of water on the smouldering kindlings I overhauled the contents of the stoves.

"What did I find, do you ask Ned? First, blocks of ice as large as I could lift, then the pieces of two or three rubber boots, well gashed and already odoriferous."

"Well, Uncle Simon, I guess you didn't have school that morning," cries Alice, all eyes and ears for the outcome.

"Yes, indeed; I wouldn't please our enemies to that extent. With the help of several boys who had come and who very soberly took hold, I cleaned out the stoves and pipes, split fresh kindling and by half past nine o'clock had aired and warmed the room."

Before the end of the week it leaked out that several large Woodman boys, not present on the first day, had pushed in through an unlocked window and had done the mischief, boasting, "Guess this'll sicken that Boston feller. He wuz want to build fires but just wuzn't around here, we'll do him up before we get through."

But, however, I immediately suspected the mode of entrance, and that night after school swung and barred the heavy wooden shutters provided on the inside of the building for the windows. For one without a bar, I made a strong prop and nailed it solidly. The fore held that night and those following, though we learned of attempts to make trouble. The morning fires blazed brightly and the class work went steadily on.

But worse than wet hay, ice, smoke and burning rubber was the storm brewed in the district over the continuance of the school. In vain had the Woodmans held the special district meeting in the endeavor to force the committee to close the school. Maddened by their failure, they threatened openly to do me violence. Thomas Farmer came and putting a revolver in my hand begged me to go and defend myself. I was told in the evening should I go out and requesting that I should not sit near an uncurtained window after dark. Things, you see, were getting decidedly interesting for a "Boston tenderfoot," as the cowboys out West would have called me.

My hostess, I forgot to tell you, had on Monday night kindly given me the best front chamber, provided a cheerful wood fire, and did everything in her power to make me comfortable and happy. After the warning, I kept to my room, with curtains drawn in the evening, and worked or read to pass the time, and always in the daytime carried the revolver in my hip pocket.

I wrote home, and to some valued friends, exactly how I was situated. Every reply pleaded for me to give up and return, but a determination not to be driven by mob-rule or be deprived of my just dues held me to the post. Yet the nervous strain was fast telling on my sensitive organization, and, as the war grew more bitter, and as the Woodmans had succeeded in summoning a town meeting to discuss the question, I felt that it were in my power to stop the quarrel, I ought to do so. Yet it was not till the second Friday that I realized that for my own sake, if not for others, I must give up or suffer the physical consequences. After school that night, after discussing the situation with a sympathetic group of Farmer children, a nervous chill or spasm attacked me. The tension of brain and heart gave away and I shook terribly, while my arms and legs were utterly helpless. The spasm passed away and I was assisted to my boarding place.

At a conference that evening with Thomas Farmer, I offered to resign my position, though it meant the loss of half the term's wages which I sadly needed. But all considerations demanded the close of school and the decision was made. With fifteen dollars as the result of my exciting fortnight's work, I again had the world before me.

The Farmer ladies, however, would not allow me to leave their midst without some return for my efforts for their children. They invited me to their houses, spread their tables with their best, held jolly parties, and in every way made a notable week in my life.

It would take another evening to tell of the fine old-fashioned country time I had and how much good they did me. But here's Dora going to sleep in my arms, so we all had best follow her example in our beds.

What did I do afterward? Let's see. Oh, the Farmers arranged a private school at once of their houses and I taught my former pupils till I took a district school in another town, ten miles distant. There, I must stop now; only I will say that some vacation I am going down to Pondville and look up my old scholars. Some of them must be married now with families. We could talk over the district war, and enjoy it, too, even if we didn't in my first school. "Good night, children. Yes, another story tomorrow evening."

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## THE JINRIKISHA.

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Missionary Gobel's Rheumatism Was the Incentive—Other Experiences of That Lively American Who Wasn't In Sympathy With Everything In Japan.

For the jinrikisha, which is the greatest blessing travelers in the east enjoy, we have to travel an American sailor who came here on Commodore Perry's flagship in 1858, and then returned seven or eight years later as a missionary of the Methodist persuasion. His name was Jonathan Gobel, and he is mentioned in Commodore Perry's narrative as a pious man of rare intelligence who took great interest in the spiritual welfare of the Japanese. Gobel was one of the earliest members of what is known as the Newton mission.

The jinrikisha is another illustration of the old adage that necessity is the mother of invention, for Brother Gobel was afflicted with rheumatism in his later years and found it difficult to navigate. The sedan chair, which was used by the nobility, was too close for him, and the kago, a vehicle in which the humbler classes were in the habit of carrying the lame and the lazy, was very uncomfortable for his long legs, so he took a packing case, painted it black, as appropriate to his dignity, and set it upon a pair of wheels.

For shelter from the sun he rigged a canvas awning that could be raised or lowered according to his convenience, and he hired a brawny coolie to haul him about. That was the origin of the vehicle which takes the place of carriages and street cars in Japan, Korea, India and China, for Brother Gobel's invention has spread all over the coast. So useful an invention needed a good name; therefore Brother Gobel called it a jin (man) ricki (power) sha (carriage). But the swells prefer to term it a kuruma. It looks like an exaggerated baby carriage and is very comfortable for riding.

Jonathan Gobel was a muscular Christian. He feared God and lived a righteous life. He desired every one else to do so, and when moral suasion failed he often tried force. When he arrived in Japan, he was a stalwart, powerful fellow, and usually came out uppermost when he wrestled with sin. He was living in Kanagawa when he endeavored to impress upon the people of that place the propriety of Sabbath observance. The Japanese have no Sunday. They have no fixed day of rest. Their holidays are numerous, and worship continuous without interruption in the temples. There is no particular time for preaching, and it is always proper to pray. Therefore every native works seven days in the week. Brother Gobel admonished the people of the sinfulness of Sabbath breaking, but he was unable to convince them, and it grieved his heart.

Passing from his home to his place of preaching one Sunday he found a dozen men or more engaged in building a house. He stopped to talk with them and entreated them to cease their sinful labor. They refused to do so. He ordered them to stop, and they declined. Then, seizing a heavy bamboo pole, he smote them hip and thigh. Several were laid out senseless, and the next morning Brother Jonathan was a prisoner before the consular general, charged with aggravated assault and battery. This case appears as one of the first in the records of the United States consulate, and is set forth with amusing details. The missionary pleaded "guilty," with strong provocation, and was put under bonds to keep the peace.

Mr. Gobel afterward built himself a modern house on what is known as the Bluff, south of Yokohama, and surrounded his grounds with the first fence that was ever built in this part of the world. It was made of bamboo palings, and the boys in the neighborhood used to annoy the good missionary greatly by rattling sticks against it as they ran along the street. The British admiral lived just above him and had a very natty Tommy Atkins for an orderly. He wore a little round cap on the northeast corner of his head and always carried a little cane of rattan in his hand. One morning, having been sent with a message, he appeared before the admiral with his face bruised to a jelly and his uniform tattered and torn and covered with dust.

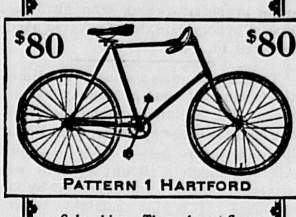
"Mercy on us!" exclaimed the admiral in astonishment at the spectacle. "What has happened to you?"

"I beg your pardon, sir," replied Tommy, "but has I was coming halong hup the 'ill, a-rubbing my stick against the missionary's fence, sir, 'e come bout in 'is pygamas and said 'as 'ow 'e 'ad voved by the grace of God to lick the 'ide off the next man who did that, and 'e 'as done it, sir."

The 'rikishas are all made in Japan, and a large number are exported to the neighboring countries. They cost from \$17 to \$40, according to the care bestowed on their construction, the material used and the character of their decoration, but they could not be made for more than twice that money in the United States. Many of them are owned by the coolies who draw them, others by companies or private individuals who let them to the coolies for a share of the money they make. You can hire them by the week for 5 yen (\$2.50), by the day for 75 sen (37½ cents), 10 sen (5 cents) an hour for ordinary service, or 10 sen for a trip of two miles.

The system of operating them is very much like that in use by our hackmen at home. Each 'rikisha man has his name and number upon his hat and his lantern. He is registered at police headquarters and pays a small tax to the government. Those that are attached to the tourists' hotels are required to pay a small percentage for the privilege, as they get more patronage and many fees that do not fall to the lot of the ordinary man on the street.—Tokyo Letter in Chicago Record.

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FAIRS.Briefly stated, this new idea is that  
municipal affairs are a business, and  
therefore should be conducted as a busi-  
ness.The old idea was that a party cap-  
tured a city, and thenceforth ran the  
city for the party's benefit.The "outs" complained of the "ins"  
and tried to put them out. When they  
succeeded, by making great promises of  
reform, especially in the way of re-  
trenching expenses and saving the peo-  
ple's money, they first emptied the of-  
fices and then rewarded their own favor-  
ites.It always costs heavily to reward favor-  
ites, and the people's money paid the  
bills. Very soon again arose the cry of  
corruption and inefficiency, and the re-  
form movement would be brought to  
the front.Here is the story of municipal govern-  
ment as illustrated in the case of Ameri-  
can cities for years and years past. Not  
the whole story, for another element  
came in, viz "The Question of National  
Politics." It has been thought necessary,  
until of late, that every little village  
should declare itself one way or other,  
upon all national questions. Even the  
selection of the town constable was sup-  
posed to influence the settlement of great  
national issues. "The whole country,"  
said the partisan papers, "awaits with  
breathless interest the issue at Squiggle-  
ville." And what was the issue? It was  
whether or not the town would spend  
money to repair the roof of the Alms  
House. The people opposed to repairing  
it belonged to one national party, and  
the friends of new shingles belonged to  
the other. How it affected the nation  
at large no one could quite see, but when  
it was really decided to buy new shingles  
and hire a few carpenters it was heralded  
as a Democratic or Republican victory,  
(no one knows which, now) and the victory  
at Squiggleville was regarded as  
showing how the principles of the party  
were growing in the land.If all this seems so absurd when  
brought down to the affairs of a little  
town, it is hardly less so when applied to  
matters affecting great cities.Not only is it absurd, but very often  
local elections are influenced by so many  
local issues that they are misleading in  
the extreme. To say nothing of the  
trading of offices and of the sacrifice of  
a principle in one direction for a greater  
apparent gain in another, there has al-  
ways been a protest of the good common  
sense of thinking people against undue  
partisanship. This common sense has  
now so far asserted itself that the new  
idea is formulated into the declaration—  
"Municipal affairs are a business." Let  
them be carried on then in a business-  
like way.The main features included in the run-  
ning of a town or city are—adequate  
police protection, good roads, proper  
water supply and sewage, schools for  
the young, provision for the sick and the  
poor, and places of detention for the  
vicious.This requires the raising and expendi-  
ture of money, the selection of compe-  
tent agents for varied work, and a gen-  
eral supervision of persons responsible  
to the community.Where is the need of party politics?  
There is no reason why policemen should  
all be Republicans or all Democrats, no  
more than that they should all have red  
hair or six toes on their left feet. They  
ought to be big, strong fellows, with a  
fair education, a great deal of courage  
and a disposition to obey orders.Just the qualities a business man  
would seek if he wanted to employ an  
officer, a city should seek when it ap-  
points a policeman.And so all through. The only ques-  
tions are—How can this work best be  
done? and who are the persons best  
qualified to do it?Here is the new idea of municipal af-  
fairs. The partisans do not like it, and  
some timid people fear that it will not  
work. There can be no doubt about its  
working better than the old way. Nothing  
could be worse, nothing more costly  
than the old way. It is not that we  
have to give up a good plan for an ex-  
periment. It is giving up a very bad  
plan for something which by no possi-  
bility can be worse than its predecessor.The strangest objection, however, will  
come from the partisan side.If the city of X. Y., which is now Re-  
publican becomes non-partisan, is notthat a triumph for the Democratic party?  
And vice versa?Not at all. There will be just as many  
Republicans, just as many Democrats,  
just as many Prohibitionists, and all  
kinds of partisans as questions arise to  
create a division of sentiment in general  
politics, but municipal affairs, having no  
necessary connection with politics, can  
be attended to as business, upon business  
methods, and with good business re-  
sults.

The new idea must grow.

The old superstition, or whatever one  
likes to call it, that our forefathers were  
more honest in their work than men of  
the present day, will receive a severe  
shock, if the stories about the State  
House foundations prove to be true. It  
is asserted that the foundation walls are  
the merest shams, solid-looking to the  
eye, but such frauds that it is a wonder  
that the builders could have escaped de-  
tection, and that this is the reason for  
the cracks in the walls, and the settling  
of the floors. There is probably some  
truth in the stories, and the reputation  
of the fathers for honest work has re-  
ceived a severe blow. The truth of the  
matter is that the world is growing more  
honest, as the years go on, and that there  
is a higher regard for honor than existed  
a hundred years ago. The most worldly-  
minded man would not dare nowadays,  
if he has any regard for his reputation,  
to resort to such sharp practices as some  
of our old-fashioned New England de-  
acons thought it no disgrace to indulge  
in. They acted up to their lights, prob-  
ably, but the world has progressed since  
their day, standards have changed, and if  
there is not such rigid demand for ortho-  
dox beliefs on theological topics, more  
attention is paid to moral character, and  
men are held to a stricter account for  
probity in their dealings with others. A  
man's professions do not go as far as  
they once did, and their actions are sub-  
jected to a closer scrutiny, and a higher  
standard is maintained all along the line.Such fraudulent work as was allowed on  
the old state house would not be per-  
mitted today, and no builder would dare  
engage in it, even if he wished to. It may  
be said that this is because the laws are  
stricter than they used to be, but this  
only proves the statement that a higher  
standard is demanded, as the laws only  
represent the moral condition of the peo-  
ple. Of course we have cheap buildings  
nowadays, but they don't make preten-  
sions to be anything else, and are paid  
for on that understanding. They don't  
profess to be solid and substantial and  
enduring, without having something to  
back up their pretensions, and the same  
might be said of the men of today.The only protest against the widening  
of Washington street, from Centre street  
to the railroad crossing, was made by the  
French estate on the corner, which is a  
very valuable piece of property and re-  
turns a large income. The buildings to  
be removed are one-story affairs, which  
cover the land, and whose location makes  
them have a high rental value. The land  
left will probably be utilized for a brick  
block, so that the appearance of the cor-  
ner will be much improved. It is said  
that the Central House will not be  
touched by the widening, but the old  
house next to it will have to be moved.  
Judging from the stakes, quite a slice  
will be taken from the other side of the  
street, and a large piece taken from Mr.  
Sumner's lot, on the corner of Nonantum  
street. This is necessary as the grade of  
Nonantum street will have to be raised  
for quite a distance on account of the  
bridge over the railroad tracks. It is to  
be hoped that the Highway committee  
will report next an order for the widen-  
ing of Park and Tremont streets, and es-  
tablish the lines, even if no actual work  
is done this year. So much ought to be  
done before any new buildings are put  
up on those streets. About the width,  
Washington street below Oak Square has  
been widened to 70 feet, and if that is  
wide enough for two railway tracks and  
all the traffic through the street, it ought  
to be wide enough for Newton. Below  
Oak Square, the street seems to be wide  
enough for all practical purposes, and  
Boston would probably not make its  
part of Tremont street any wider.Tremont street will probably never be-  
come a handsome street, no matter how  
wide it is made, as the land will probably  
be used for moderate-class dwellings, on  
account of its being in a valley between  
two hills.The Waltham Free Press in comment-  
ing on the unfavorable criticisms that  
has been made of the Middlesex County  
Commissioners, in connection with the  
erection of certain public buildings, says  
it does not believe there has been any  
dishonesty, but admits that there has  
been a lack of system about their work.  
The county tax keeps mounting up  
year by year, until it is becoming a good  
deal of a burden and it has called public  
attention to the lax manner in which  
county affairs are managed, not only in  
Middlesex county but in other counties.The officials seem to do just what they  
please, without any supervision, and a  
demand is being made for some change  
in the laws so that county officials can  
be held to a stricter accountability.  
Many think that it would be a good idea  
to have a change, as in this county themen have been in office a good many  
years, and it is argued that new men  
would find ways of saving that have escaped  
the notice of the old officials. But the  
Waltham Free Press is trying to dis-  
courage the idea, and thinks that any  
change would probably be for the  
worse, on the ground that new men  
would "be likely to administer affairs  
more in their own interests." We sup-  
pose it means that new men would be  
more hungry, and the old men have been  
in so long that their appetites have be-  
come satisfied. Perhaps this might be  
the result, but a change is oftentimes a  
good thing, especially if the new men  
belong to a different party or are dis-  
posed to be critical of the policy of their  
predecessors. Something certainly ought  
to be done to remedy the present lax  
condition of things.The Highway Committee say that the  
article in last week's Journal, criticizing  
the awards made on Washington street,  
was not worthy of a serious reply, as  
would be seen at once by any one  
familiar with the property described.  
The curious part of it is that of all the  
awards mentioned as unfair, all but  
one were the awards made by the two  
appraisers appointed, who ought to  
know something of the relative value of  
real estate, and those awards were ap-  
proved by the assessors. If the writer  
had taken a little broader view of the  
case, and not confined his criticisms to  
the awards made to his own relatives,  
the article might have had more weight.  
An irreverent reader said it reminded  
him of the story of the way the old de-  
acon said grace "Bless me and my wife,  
my son John and his wife, us  
four and no more." The gen-  
eral opinion is that there are  
other property owners who have more  
reason to complain than the three parties  
referred to.There was quite a sensational time in  
the Common Council, Monday evening,  
when the Building committee denied  
the charges made by Alderman Bullard  
in his letter in last week's GRAPHIC.  
All the stragglers about City Hall were  
attracted into the chamber by the  
speeches. It is only charitable to sup-  
pose that there is some misunderstanding  
about the matter, as it would indicate  
a serious condition of things if Alder-  
man Bullard's charges could be proved.The Newton schools start off with full  
ranks, this year, the parochial school on  
Adams street leading all the rest, with  
its 600 pupils. The High school comes  
next, and the Mason school in Newton  
Centre has the distinction of being the  
largest grammar school in the city.NEWTON has given the returning vaca-  
tionists a warm welcome this week. The  
school children and teachers have had  
the worst of it, and schools ought not to  
begin before the middle of September, as  
this sort of weather always comes along  
during the first two weeks of the month.

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## MARRIED.

BARRY-ROCHE-At West Newton, Sept. 4,  
Patrick Henry Barry and Mary Ann Roche.  
HOPKINS-LEBLANC-At Newton, Sept. 8,  
Morris Hopkins and Adelle Leblanc.  
STAPLES-GAY-At Auburndale, 8th inst., by  
Rev. Calvin Carter, William Pierce Staples  
to Sarah Phoebe Gay.  
STEVENSON-NORTON-At West Newton, Sept.  
10, Charles Daniel Stevenson and Lottie  
Jane Norton.  
TAYLOR-HASTINGS-At West Newton, Sept.  
11, Walter Alexander Taylor and Nina Lee  
Hastings.  
DONOVAN-WALL-At Holliston, Sept. 11,  
Thomas Cornelius Donovan and Mary Eliza-  
beth Wall.  
COLE-APPLIN-In Newton, September 11th,  
by Rev. Francis B. Hornbrook, Howard  
Cole to Annie Estelle Applin, both of Newton.

## DIED.

BOOTH-At his home in Chicago, Sept. 9, Henry  
N. Booth, son of Henry Booth of Newtonville,  
aged 32 yrs.  
McGRATH-At Newton Centre, Sept. 7, Mar-  
karet, infant daughter of Patrick and Ellen  
McGrath, age 9 months.  
TETRO-At West Newton, Sept. 8, Albino, son  
of Joseph and Vincent Tetro, aged 5 yrs. 1  
mo. 20 da.  
TETRO-At West Newton, Sept. 8, Leon Flavin,  
son of Joseph and Vincent Tetro, aged 7 yrs.  
3 months, 16 da.  
ROACH-At Newton Hospital, Sept. 9, Alvah J.  
Roach, aged 57 yrs. 8 mo. 11 da.  
ECKLEY-In Alameda, August 2, Frances  
Eaton Eckley, wife of Henry Eckley, a native  
of Boston, Mass., aged 65 years.  
SAUNDERS-At Auburndale, Sept. 10, Mary,  
infant daughter of Jeremiah and Winifred  
Saunders, aged 4 days.  
FELL-At Upper Falls, Sept. 10, Sarah, widow of  
William Fell, aged 73 yrs. 4 mo. 2 da.  
WIGHT-At Auburndale, Sept. 10, Sylvanus H.  
Wight, aged 78 yrs. 7 mo. 4 da.

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## NONANTUM.

—Mrs. B. H. Bacon of Natick is visiting  
here.—Mr. Hiram Frost and family have re-  
turned from Revere.—Miss Charlotte Crow of West street has  
returned from England.—Mrs. Annie Ashley returned to her  
home in Lawrence, Tuesday.—Miss Edith Greene of Bridge street is  
visiting friends in Portland and vicinity.—At the Beulah Mission last Sunday,  
Mrs. Annie Ashley addressed the gather-  
ing.—Fred Feary of Revere, who has been  
visiting here the past week, has returned to  
his home.—Mrs. Derby of Cambridge is visiting  
her sister, Mrs. Thomas Jewett of Bridge  
street place.—George Hudson has a pay station at his  
store. This is quite a convenience to  
Benis residents.—In the police court Tuesday, J. R.  
Campbell was fined \$50 for maintaining a  
liquor nuisance.—Miss Edith Greene led Y. P. S. C. E.  
meeting at the North Evangelical church,  
Sunday evening.—Mrs. Q. A. Greene was suddenly  
called to Johnson, Vt., Thursday, by the  
death of her sister.—Miss Bessie McGinty will sail Saturday  
on one of the Cunard steamships for Lon-  
donderry, Ireland.—At a consecration meeting of the  
Christian Endeavor Tuesday evening, Vice  
President Miss Edith Chapman presided.—Mrs. Annie Ashley of Lawrence, who  
has been the guest of friends, spoke at the  
evening service of the North Evangelical  
church, Sunday evening.—A peculiar coincidence is noted in the  
fact that a year ago last month, John  
Shorten's barn was burned in the same  
manner with about the same loss.—Richard Mills, Philip Tilson, John  
Quirk and James Murphy with friends  
and other members of the Newton Veteran  
Firemen's Association, went with that  
organization to Hartford, Conn., to attend  
the Hand Tub Tournament.—The Baptist Mission Sunday school  
have been photographed in a group by Mr.  
Clough. The plate will be used on a stereo-  
opticon by Mr. W. W. Main of the Baptist  
Sunday school association, in his lectures  
on "Baptist Sunday Schools."—Next Sunday at 3 o'clock Mr. Arthur  
Arnold will address the Beulah Mission  
in front of Mr. George Hudson's residence  
on Bridge street. Should the weather  
prove stormy the meeting will be held in  
St. Elmo hall. Mr. Arnold is superinten-  
dent of the Howard Street Mission of Bos-  
ton, and a most interesting speaker.—The premises of Mrs. Catherine Mullen  
of Adams street were raided Tuesday  
night by Sergt. Clay with Officers Burke,  
J. J. Davis, MacAleer and Costello. Their  
search proved fruitless, so Officer Davis  
and Bosworth repaired to the house of  
Mrs. Mary Main, where they seized a pair  
of whiskey. Score one for the officers.—Druggist Kilburn has his window ap-  
propriately decorated in honor of the  
yacht races. In the centre are the models  
of the two boats and draped at the sides  
and rear of the window are the national  
colors. Mr. Kilburn has been receiving  
bulletins of races every ten minutes which  
he places on a board in front of his store.REPUBLICAN  
CAUCUSES.Pursuant to the call of the Republican State  
Committee, the Republicans of Newton are re-  
quested to meet in caucuses onTuesday, September 24, 1895,  
at 7 30 P. M.

At their respective wards, as follows:

- Ward 1, Armory Hall.
- Ward 2, Room 8, Clinton Block.
- Ward 3, City Hall.
- Ward 4, Auburn Hall.
- Ward 5, Stevens Hall.
- Ward 6, Associates Hall.
- Ward 7, Elliot Lower Hall.

For the purpose of choosing delegates to the  
Republican State, Council, County, District  
Attorney and Senatorial Convention of 1896.  
The respective wards are entitled to delegates to  
the above conventions as follows: Ward 1, three  
ward 2, four; ward 3, three; ward 4, three; ward  
5, four; ward 6, four; ward 7, four.Also for the purpose of choosing delegates to  
the Republican  
**Representative Convention**for the 16th Middlesex District, which is hereby  
to meet at  
**City Hall, West Newton, on Tuesday Oct.  
1st, 1895, at 8 o'clock, P. M.**for the choice of two candidates for the General  
Court, for which convention the respective wards  
are entitled to delegates as follows: Ward 1,  
eleven; ward 2, eighteen; ward 3, twelve; ward 4,  
eleven; ward 5, fourteen; ward 6, sixteen; ward  
7, thirteen.These caucuses are called and are to be held in  
accordance with Chapter 489 of the Acts of 1885,  
and are to be called to order as follows:

- Ward 1, by Reuben Forknall.
- Ward 2, by Edward Staples.
- Ward 3, by George Staples.
- Ward 4, by Joseph Huestis.
- Ward 5, by A. H. H. Hovey.
- Ward 6, by F. H. Hovey.
- Ward 7, A. H. H. Hovey.

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rooms, 1 minute from Newton depot, all  
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## NEWTONVILLE.

—Pianos rented and tuned, Farley, Newton.  
—Miss Lillian Keith has returned from Intervale, N. H.  
—Mr. E. H. Goodwin returned last week from Bear Island, Me.  
—F. W. Proctor and family have returned from the seashore.  
—Mr. C. H. Ames and family have returned from Hyannisport.  
—Rev. Mr. Hecht will soon occupy his new home on Highland avenue.  
—Miss Florence Sylvester leaves this week for a trip to the mountains.  
—Mrs. C. W. Hamilton and family have returned from North Falmouth.  
—Miss Howard of Washington street has returned from New Hampshire.  
—Mr. E. George and family have returned from Point Allerton, Hull.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Austin R. Mitchell have returned from Poland Springs, Me.  
—Charles B. Fletcher of Scranton, Pa., is in town this week visiting relatives.  
—Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Brewer have returned from their summer place in Hull.  
—Mr. John Carter and family of Highland avenue have returned from Duxbury.  
—Miss Johnson of the high school corps passed her vacation this season in Nashua.  
—Postmaster Turner and Mrs. Turner are enjoying a rest at Jefferson Highlands, N. H.  
—Patrolman Soule is passing his annual vacation in Portland, Me. He returns home next week.  
—Mr. Tobey and Mr. Lee, who have been visiting Mr. Horace Carter, have returned to Pawtucket, R. I.  
—Mr. W. B. Bosson and family have returned from Bear Island, where they have been passing the summer.  
—There are letters in the postoffice for George H. Cobb, Miss Nellie Fitzgerald, Albert Howell and John Ogara.  
—Mr. Loomis of the Newtonville Real Estate Exchange has something to say to home seekers, in another column.  
—Mrs. C. L. Estabrooks of St. Mary's, New Brunswick, is visiting her niece, Mrs. John E. Butler of Linwood avenue.  
—Fred Griswold of Somerville is making a short stay here. He is visiting his father, Mr. Alexander Griswold of Lowell street.  
—Charles E. Davis, ex-Captain of the police department, has secured a position with the Gamewell Fire Alarm and Police Signal Company.  
—Charles B. Wilson of Detroit is visiting relatives here. Mr. Wilson returns rather than for home next week. He will make a brief stop at New York en-route.  
—Mrs. Alex. Griswold and son, Chester, returned this week from New Hampshire. Chester, who has attracted a great deal of attention, and who has been dubbed "the boy orator," will give readings and impersonations tonight at the Woodland Park Hotel.  
—Mr. Austin T. Sylvester has started in business in Boston at 408 Washington street, under the firm name of Austin T. Sylvester & Co., for the sale of silver ware, watches, jewelry and fine cutlery. Mr. Sylvester's many friends in Newton will do what they can to make his venture a success.  
—George W. Trotter is missing from his home and his friends are becoming very anxious concerning his unexplained absence. The circumstances connected with his disappearance have been published. Strange as it may appear, the ubiquitous correspondent of "the only paper represented in Newton," failed to hear anything about it.  
—Mrs. Edith M. Trefethen, daughter of Officer M. S. Bosworth of Newtonville, died in Portland of quick consumption, on Wednesday, Sept. 4th, at the age of 25 yrs. 10 mos. and 15 days. Deceased was born in Newtonville and lived there until several years ago, when she moved to Portland, where she resided up to the time of her death. She was a member of the First Baptist church of New Newton.  
—Dr. Jay Beers of Orono, instructor in the Harvard Medical school, was married at noon Wednesday to Miss Alice Jewell Parry of Brooklyn, at the home of Dr. A. L. Benedict in Buffalo, N. Y. The wedding was a quiet one, only relatives of the bride and groom being present. Dr. and Mrs. Beers will be at home after Nov. 1 at their future residence, Cabot street, Newtonville.  
—The time is pretty near at hand for the bowlers to move on. The sport promises to be nearly as much of a fad as in the past and the Newton Club, among other organizations, will arrange tournaments which will provide interest and recreation during the winter season. The club in all probability will be represented in the state league.  
—Most of the summer absentees have returned home in time to start the juvenile members of the household on another term of schooling. A large number postponed their return from mountain and seashore resorts until the last moment, quite a small colony of Newtonville residents putting in an appearance last Saturday. Monday away, apparently, from this place this season, than in any previous corresponding period in many moons.  
—Sergeant Clay is seemingly following in the footsteps of his active predecessor in the Nonantum district, Sergeant John Ryan, and is keeping a sharp eye peeled for the kitchen barons. A few days ago he brought a Nonantumite into the court and secured a conviction. He directed a raid on another suspect this week and as a result still one more alleged dispenser of the ardent will be under the necessity of making a satisfactory explanation to Judge Kennedy.  
—There is a large sized cloud in the air and game rumor says that it is liable to burst any moment. Its movement seems to scintillate around that Pierce school contract. The end is apparently not yet and there is quite likely to be further explanations, perhaps taking on a sensational tone. People in this ward believe in awarding contracts to home bidders, all things being fair and equal. Whatever variety of opinion one entertains of individuals, the fact still remains that a good and perfectly reliable Newton industry is certainly worthy of encouragement.

## Mr. Reed's Chances.

(From the New York Sun.)

Hon. Thomas Brackett Reed is a man of so much force, brain and originality that most persons will regard his chances for being nominated for President as minute. It is not that the American people do not admire originality, brains and force as much as they ever did, but in a national convention your slight unmeritable man, who has the fewest enemies, has the best chance. Still, Mr. Reed will be a formidable fellow. He will have the New England vote behind him. That is not much as a rule, for Massachusetts, for instance, is usually too virtuous to support any candidate who has any popular strength or any chance of being nominated. But Massachusetts will do for Mr. Reed what she was too holy to do for Mr. Blaine. Mr. Reed will have the support of New England. Not very much, it may be said, but more than the most popular Republican in New England and the whole country was ever able to get.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Miller pianos, Farley, Newton.  
—Mrs. F. P. Bond is at Miss Brigham's for a few weeks.  
—Master Abbott C. Meade has returned from Dublin, N. H.  
—Edward Monaghan has returned from Kennebunkport, Me.  
—Mr. G. P. Howlett and family have returned from the shore.  
—Mrs. H. G. Cleveland has returned from the Adirondacks.  
—Mrs. J. W. Carter and family have returned from Harwichport.  
—Mrs. C. M. McLellan has returned from a trip to Nova Scotia.  
—Mr. A. Stuart Pratt and family have returned from Cottage City.  
—Mrs. Walter Lucas is passing some weeks at St. Andrews, N. B.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson of Vermont are the guests of friends here.  
—Bert T. P. Prudden has returned from his summer home at Camden.  
—Mr. I. G. Gates has returned from a month's stay in New Hampshire.  
—Mr. J. W. Stanley has returned from a several weeks' travel in Europe.  
—Mr. and Mrs. J. Franklin Fuller are in New Hampshire for several weeks.  
—Mr. David Conant is attending the G. A. R. encampment at Louisville, Ky.  
—The Misses Thorpe of Westerly, R. I., are at Miss Brigham's for some weeks.  
—Mr. W. H. Mague has been given the contract for section 9 of the boulevard.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Willard Plympton of Chestnut street have returned from Onset.  
—Mr. F. F. Raymond and family have returned from a month's stay in Jefferson, N. H.  
—Mr. and Mrs. James T. Allen have returned from their summer home at Craigville.  
—Mr. Bert Florence won one of the prizes at the Carnival at Waltham, last week.  
—Mr. Kent of Waltham street is at home having passed the month of August at the Mountains.  
—Mr. Geo. A. Frost and family are at home, having passed the warm season at Osterville.  
—Rev. Geo. A. Thayer of Cincinnati will occupy the pulpit at the Unitarian church, next Sunday.  
—Miss Louise Lovett has been visiting recently at Mrs. Brownell at Whitefield, Conn., Newport.  
—Mrs. W. H. Dunbar of Mt. Vernon street has returned from a several weeks' stay at Harwich.  
—Messrs. Edward and Leonard Setton of Lincoln park are the guests of relatives in Grafton, N. H.  
—Miss Carrie Wardrop and aunt passed a few days, last week, with Mr. George Haynes of Eden avenue.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bennett expect to sail Saturday on the Catalonia for a six weeks' European trip.  
—Mr. Samuel Hobbs and family have returned from New Hampshire where they passed the summer months.  
—Miss Gertrude M. Tuttle of Bath, Me., a former resident of this place, is the guest of Miss Gertrude Haynes of Eden avenue.  
—Mrs. Cutler, who occupied Mr. J. R. Carter's residence during the summer months, has returned to her home in Boston.  
—Chas. J. Maloney of River street, whose dog bit Mrs. Geo. L. Creighton, was fined \$5 and costs, Monday, for keeping a vicious dog.  
—The Newton Ladies Home Circle will hold its first meeting for the season in the Unitarian church parlors, Wednesday, Sept. 18, at 2 p. m.  
—The West Newton Veterans, with their 100th anniversary, won 6th place in the play-out at Hartford, with 198 ft. 5 in. in the Walthams won first prize, 212 ft. 7 3/8 in.  
—Messrs. R. M. Lucas and Parker Leavitt took dinner at the United States Hotel, Monday, with the other California pioneers of '49. Hon. Gorham D. Gilman gave an address.  
—The officers of the grand lodge of Odd Fellows of Massachusetts have signed their intention of visiting Waltham on Oct. 8, their first official visit to that city in 18 years. On that night Prospect lodge will hold its 200th meeting and initiate its 40th member.  
—Marshal Richardson with Officers Quilly, Harrison, Burke, Painter and Sgt. Purcell attended the session of the United States court in Boston, Thursday, at the revenue hearing of the liquor cases of Anthony Gildea, Alex. Walker, Fannie Barnes and Peter Madden.  
—The West Newton Common, as it has been called, is offered for sale by J. Cheever Fuller, and it sold will be divided into building lots. It is too bad that this land can not be retained as a playground, as it is centrally located, and is the only open space available for games and out-door sports in this ward. It would seem as if there ought to be public spirit enough here to secure this land for such a purpose, just as the Newton Centre people combined and secured a playground there.  
—The letters remaining in the post-office for Mr. Phineas Allen, Miss Jessie A. Blanchard, Miss Mary Brown, Mrs. Downing, Mrs. Geo. W. Downes, Miss Katie Donovan, Miss Susan D. Ellis, Miss Anne Howe, Fred McGowan, Edward F. McCarthy, Maggie McCluskey, (2), Miss McGraw, J. O'Donnell, (3), John Rayfus, Miss Isabel Somers, W. C. Spaulding, Miss Mary Healy, Bertha Street, Mrs. Jones, Mr. Vernon street, Mrs. Johanna Kelleher, Mr. Frank Lyman, C. E. Meeker, B. McCarthy, Miss A. N. Turner, Mrs. James Williams.  
—John J. Berry, formerly assistant assessor at Vendome, and Miss Julia Arnold of Auburndale were married Tuesday night at St. Bernard's church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. McCarthy, and was witnessed only by close friends of the bride and groom. Miss Annie Murphy of East Boston was bridesmaid and wore a very becoming toilet of pink. The bride looked charming in a costume of white faille, with a long tulle veil. Mr. John Earley of Roxbury, where the couple were driven to the home of Mrs. Earley on Parker street, Roxbury, where a reception was held, and Mr. and Mrs. Berry received congratulations. During the evening vocal and instrumental music was rendered, and at 10.30 all partook of a wedding supper. The wedding presents were many and costly. The employees of the Langwood Hotel, Melrose, where the groom is employed, sent a magnificent clock. The guests were received by Misses Kittle Early and Rose Fallon. Mr. and Mrs. Berry will reside on Parker street, Roxbury.  
—"Paint the Town Red, Boys."  
(From the Louisville Commercial.)  
Chairman F. I. Brocar of the G. A. R. committee on information has extended an invitation to the visiting G. A. R. people that probably takes the cake for abandon and shoulder-biting hospitality. Over his store is the flaming sign: "The town is yours, boys. Paint it red."  
Mr. Brocar is wholehearted.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.  
—Walter Burnap has returned from a trip to N. B.  
—Mr. Hugh Haywood leaves today for Franklin, Vt.  
—Mr. Frank Reed of Ware road left Monday for a trip to Maine.  
—Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hall of Auburn street are guests at the Woodland park.  
—Mr. Robinson of the B. & A. has removed from Plummer's block to Weston.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Dutton and family have returned from Jefferson Highlands, N. H.  
—Mrs. C. T. Roberts and daughter have returned from Jefferson Highlands, N. H.  
—A week from next Sunday marks the closing of that delightful spot, Forest Grove.  
—Charles Boothby has left the employ of W. P. Thorne and taken a position in Stoneham.  
—Michael McCarthy of the Adams Express Co., has been quite ill with malaria the past week.  
—Mrs. W. W. Bruce and Miss Maude have returned home after a three months sojourn in Maine.  
—John Hunt and family of South Boston are occupying one of Mr. Robertson's houses on Crescent street.  
—Mrs. T. C. Bruce and daughters have returned from Annapolis, where they passed the month of August.  
—Gordon Wetherbee, who has been ill at the home of his family in Alliston, has returned to his position at Vicker's.  
—There were a number of Veteran Firemen of our place, who attended the Tub Tournament at Hartford, Conn., yesterday.  
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—Rev. T. E. Clark and family have returned from Pine Point, near Old Orchard Beach, where they have been spending the summer.  
—School opened Monday. The Auburndale School has new line of school shoes, which mothers would do well to examine.  
—Contractor Mague has completed his portion of the boulevard from Auburn to Washington streets. He is now engaged in laying sewers on the same streets.  
—There are letters in the postoffice for E. E. Cutler, Riverside, Wheelman, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Whiting, Mrs. A. J. Davis, Helen L. Donworth and Lizzie Henderson.  
—Mr. Wm. Staples and Miss Pheobe Gay were married at their new home on Winona street, Tuesday night. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Calvin Cutler.  
—Auburndale avenue and the section there about is greatly improved by the completion of the new streets which have recently been laid out. Ten of the new houses will soon be finished.  
—Officer Quilly had Charles McGregor and John Newcomb, gas fitters, in court Wednesday, for vicious mischief. The men were charged with stealing gas caps from a house on the old Washburn estate, and fined \$15 each.  
—Mr. Horace H. White, 87 years of age, died Thursday at 1.55 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. T. Bunker of Grove street. The deceased was born in Springfield, and had resided here for over 50 years. He was taken suddenly ill and had been partially unconscious until his death.  
—Silvanus H. Wight, a resident of Auburndale for 33 years, died at his home on Auburn street, Tuesday night at 11.40 o'clock. The deceased was born in Calais, Me., 73 years ago. He was at work in Boston, when the war broke out and enlisted with the 44th Mass. Volunteers. He had a brilliant war record, serving his full term of four years. While in the service he had the wrist of one hand injured and never recovered the full use of it. A wife and one daughter survive him. Rev. Mr. Bishop, assisted by Rev. Calvin Cutler, officiated at the funeral services, which were held this morning from the house at 11 o'clock, and in charge of Charles Ward Post 62, of which organization he was a member. The interment was at Forest Hills cemetery.

## NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Daniel Shea has purchased a new driving horse for his own use.  
—Mr. C. S. Corkery has returned from an outing at Narragansett Pier.  
—Mrs. H. S. Locke has returned from an all-summer visit in Lunenburg.  
—Mrs. Sarah G. Fell, an old resident died at her home on Chestnut street, Tuesday.  
—There are letters in the postoffice for George Edwards, R. Joyce and Annie Shaw.  
—Daniel Hurley and Wm. E. Hurd are attending the encampment of the G. A. R. at Louisville, Kentucky.  
—Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Billings have been enjoying a car ride through the western part of the state.  
—Mr. A. E. Soule and family, former residents of this place, and late of Lynn, have again taken up their residence here.  
—A largely attended picnic was held at Dr. Lowe's grove, near Echo Bridge, Wednesday afternoon. The shower married the day's pleasures and the party left for home early.  
—Timothy Crowley, aged 75, died at his home on the Needham side of the river, Sunday afternoon. The funeral was held from St. Mary's church, Tuesday morning. The interment was at Needham.  
—The storm here Wednesday afternoon was not quite so severe as in other places, and while there were some pretty sharp cracks no damage was reported. The electric cars were stalled for nearly 15 minutes, and a blow from the fire bell added to the excitement.

## THIS WILL SETTLE IT.

To decide the amateur championship of Newton and Watertown, the Consolidated Cycling clubs of those places have arranged a 10 mile handicap road race, for October 28. The course will be over the triangle formed by Crafts, Watertown and Waltham streets, sufficient times to complete ten miles.  
It will be the largest race of its kind ever held in this city, there being expected 40 entries. The committee on arrangements which comprises Walter Hodgdon, Luke Stanley, D. Waldo Stearns, M. D., and Walter Mars, are making every effort to make the race a fair one.  
There will be fifteen prizes offered, besides three time prizes, and a number of local dealers, together with Boston manufacturers, having signified their intention of making substantial inducements. Perhaps the most novel prize of all will be that awarded to the last man, by a local barber—a hair-cut, shampoo and shave.  
The race is open to all amateur riders of Watertown and Newton, and the entrance fee of \$1.00 must be paid to Walter Hodgdon at Newton or to Joseph Kilburn at Nonantum, before Monday, September 23.  
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## GREENHALGE AND GUESTS.

NOTED PEOPLE ATTEND BRILLIANT RECEPTION FOLLOWING WEDDING OF HON. P. H. COONEY AND MISS SARAH C. ALLEN.  
The most important of the social events of the early fall in Newton was the wedding of Miss Sarah C. Allen, eldest daughter of Mr. Nathaniel T. Allen of West Newton, and Hon. P. H. Cooney ex-district attorney for Middlesex, which was solemnized at the residence of the bride's parents on Webster street, West Newton, last evening.  
The ceremony was private, only the relatives and immediate friends of the bride and groom being present.  
The best man was Mr. William B. Sprout of Boston, and the maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Lucy E. Allen. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Joseph H. Allen of Cambridge, and the bride was given away by her father.  
The ushers were Robert Harwood, William Bizelew of Natick; Arthur L. Spring; William E. Allen, Waltham; Bracy Curtis, Medfield, and Clifford Howes of Springfield, Ill.  
The bride was attired in white broadcloth, with garniture of diamonds and pearls. She wore a diamond pendant, the gift of the groom, and the customary tulle veil, and carried a bunch of bride roses.  
Miss Lucy E. Allen wore a green broadcloth, with bodice of illusion. Her bouquet was of lilies of the valley.  
Immediately after the ceremony the reception was held, which was attended by more than 1500 friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cooney were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel T. Allen, Miss Fannie Allen and Miss Lucy E. Allen.  
Mrs. Allen was gowned in gray silk, with trimmings of duchess lace. Miss Fannie Allen wore old rose satin broadcloth with lace.  
The receiving party stood under a canopy of smilax and chrysanthemums with a background of dark green palms. The parlors and dining room were beautifully decorated with the flowers of the season, and with tall tropical plants arranged in picturesque masses.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cooney were the recipients of numerous valuable presents of silverware and works of art, including a bracelet from members of the Middlesex bar. On their return from their wedding tour they will reside in Natick.  
Prominent among the invited guests were Gov. Greenhalge, Judge Sherman of Lawrence, Judge Kennedy of Newton, ex-Gov. and Mrs. Claflin of Newton, ex-Atty. Gen. Pillsbury, Hon. and Mrs. R. R. Bishop, ex-Gov. and Mrs. John D. Long, ex-Gov. Boutwell and Hon. George Fred Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bowles of Waltham, Col. and Mrs. T. W. Higginson, Rev. and Mrs. Brook Herford, ex-Gov. and Mrs. Brackett, County Commissioner Samuel Upham and County Commissioner Frank Bigelow.  
How Kelly Saved the Dance.  
Accidents have happened on the stage. The skirts of ballet dancers have caught fire, and the unhappy danceuses have died from the effects. The story will not soon be forgotten of Michael Kelly in "Lodioska." The last scene represented a castle on fire, and the beautiful Mrs. Cronch, as the Princess, was to be seen at a window. The draft carried the flames toward her, and Kelly, seeing her danger, rushed up a stage bridge to save her, but the supports of this bridge had been removed prematurely by the carpenter, and Kelly fell to the ground.  
"At the same time," says Kelly in his "Memoirs," "the fiery tower, in which was Mrs. Cronch, sank down in a blaze, with a violent crash. She uttered a scream of terror. Providentially I was not hurt by the fall, and catching her in my arms, scarcely knowing what I was doing, I carried her to the front of the stage. The applause was loud and continued. In fact, had we rehearsed the scene as it happened, it could not have been done half so naturally or produced so great an effect."  
It was not the escape which made this incident memorable, but Kelly's bull. He was furious at the accident and rushed at Kemble, who was manager, shouting, "I might have been killed entirely, and who then—who would have maintained me for the rest of my life?"—Good Words.  
Magnificence of Lowther Castle.  
Lowther castle, near Penrith, is one of the most imposing mansions in the north. Its great terrace is nearly a mile in length and is carried along the brink of a steep cliff, which overlooks a part of the park, with forest trees of immense growth and well replenished with deer. The park of the emperor of China, at Gehol, is called "the paradise of 10,000 trees." Lord Macartney, ambassador to China, in one of his letters says: "We wandered in it for several hours, and yet were never weary of wandering, for certainly so rich, so varied, so beautiful, so sublime a prospect our eyes had never beheld." And thus concludes his description of the wonderful garden: "If any place can be said in any respect to have similar features to the western park of Van Shoo Yeen, it is at Lowther."—London News.  
Temperance Mansion.  
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"Yes, you are right."  
"Made the money out of whisky, I suppose?"  
"No."  
"Why, you are a liquor dealer, are you not?"  
"Oh, yes! But the money I'm putting into this house was made out of the water I put into the whisky. Every farthing was made out of the water, sir."—London Tit-Bits.  
Lions, tigers and other rapacious animals resort to the nests of the pelican to drink water, which they do without any attempt to injure the little fledge-lings.—Cincinnati Tribune.  
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## THE YOUNG WIFE.

They say her smile was sweetest when she lay  
In that enraptured power whose guise is  
sleep.  
And I remember now it was her way  
To smile in slumber deep!  
Yet when I pressed the hand that lay so still  
And called her name and smoothed her pretty  
hair,  
She answered not, nor soothed with her sweet  
will  
My fond heart's crushing care.  
How softly lay the laces on her breast—  
Methought she was so lovely in repose  
That surely paradise was still more blessed  
In claiming my sweet rose.  
A rose that thrived in sunshine or in shade  
Until at length death touched the tender  
bloom  
And withered it just when it would have staid  
To brighten in the gloom.  
And then at this my heart felt crushed and  
blind.  
I was but conscious of that vague unrest  
And ceaseless yearning that doth fill the mind  
When brooding death is guest.  
Dear patient girl who was so loath to hear  
A single word against my ruthless ways—  
And who will guide me now with gentle fear  
And who will speak my praise?  
Oh, still she sleeps. . . . The jasmine  
blooms as then,  
And nature bears its warm life from the  
deeps,  
And summer birds sing lightly once again.  
But still, alas! she sleeps! —Omaha Bee.

## THE COLONEL'S WIFE.

The rupture was all about a two acre  
field. Colonel Fairholme, J. P., wanted  
to fill out a dent in his ring fence,  
and Sir George Warburton stepped in  
and bought it over his head.  
"And you can consider your engage-  
ment at an end, sir," the colonel wrath-  
fully informed his nephew and heir.  
"No daughter of that sneak's shall be  
mistress of Broadwater."  
Then Evelyn and Dick held a council  
of war on a neutral stile.  
"I've had similar instructions," said  
the girl. "They're very much incensed  
at present, but it won't last. Within six  
weeks somebody will be giving a recon-  
ciliation dinner party. I know the dear  
old things so well."  
But before the month was out Colonel  
Fairholme was on his way to Australia.  
During the first few weeks after his  
arrival in Melbourne he communicated  
regularly either with his maiden sister  
or with Dick. Then there was a gap for  
a couple of miles, and Dick was getting  
uneasy and meditating a cable of in-  
quiry when the anxiously expected let-  
ter arrived.  
My DEAR BOY—I have a piece of news for  
you which, I dare say, will surprise you very  
much. After being a confirmed bachelor for  
nearly 30 years I have found my better half  
at last. I made her acquaintance at the table  
d'hotel here and we were married last Monday.  
The lady is a great deal younger than my-  
self, and I may say, without boasting, as  
charming in disposition as she is in appear-  
ance. You cannot fail to like her, and I am  
sure you will both be the best of friends.  
We are leaving in a fortnight by the Ormuz,  
so you will know when to expect us.  
HORACE FAIRHOLME.  
P. S.—Please break the news gently as you  
can to your aunt. H. F.  
A few days after the letter came a  
brief note for Dick:  
"Just a few lines to catch the mail.  
There is a tiresome delay in the final  
arrangements, and I find that I cannot  
leave as soon as I hoped, as the berth is  
already booked for Ormuz. Adele  
will come on alone with her maid.  
Meet her at Southampton. I shall fol-  
low by next orient boat."  
Dick wondered a little at the arrange-  
ment, but did not fail to meet his un-  
cle's wife when the time arrived. She  
was a tall woman of 28 or 30, undeni-  
ably handsome and desirous of winning  
the good graces of her husband's nephew.  
Nevertheless Dick did not take a  
fancy to her. In fact, she rather repelled  
him. However, she quite won Miss  
Fairholme's simple soul by complimenting  
her upon her housekeeping and re-  
fusing to interfere with such admirable  
management, also she professed great  
interest in the estate.  
"I am so fond of the country," she  
told them, "and your English scenery  
is so picturesque and homelike. I promise  
myself a ramble every morning be-  
fore breakfast."  
But one day Dick saw something  
which gave him the curious notion that,  
after all, it was not the beauties of na-  
ture that attracted her. He saw Mrs.  
Fairholme walking briskly down the  
road outside to meet the postman—  
there was only one delivery in that part  
of the world—who was about to leave  
the Broadwater letters at the lodge.  
She stopped the man, and he gave her  
an envelope, which she opened and read  
on the spot.  
"Hum!" he reflected. "So Mrs. Fair-  
holme is so anxious about her corre-  
spondence that she takes the trouble to  
go out and meet it at half past 7 a. m."  
That afternoon he was at the village  
postoffice, and the postmaster, who was  
also the grocer, happened to be serving  
himself.  
"I saw a letter for you with the Mel-  
bourne postmark on it this morning,  
sir," he said, with the license of an old  
tenant. "I hope the colonel's well?"  
William confirmed the statement em-  
phatically, and furthermore volunteered  
the information that the new mistress  
of Broadwater had met him on the high-  
way, near the lodge gates, and re-  
quested him to hand the letter over to  
her.  
"Thanks," said Dick lightly. "Of  
course Mrs. Fairholme has forgotten to  
give it to me. I'll ask her about it."  
Conscious of her duplicity, Dick could  
scarcely force himself to be civil to her.  
But she appeared not to notice his mo-  
roseness, and in the evening after din-  
ner she rose from the piano suddenly,  
as though on impulse.  
"By the way," she said, "have you  
the key of the strongroom, Dick? I  
meant to ask you before and forgot. I  
should so much like to see the family  
jewels. Your uncle told me that he has  
some wonderful rubies which he  
brought from India. Bring them down,  
there's a dear boy!"  
The "dear boy" obeyed without the  
best grace in the world, and Mrs. Fair-  
holme admired the jewels and played  
with them all like a child with a new

toy. But the rubies seemed especially  
to captivate her fancy.  
"They are magnificent!" she said,  
and her eyes were almost as bright with  
excitement as the gems themselves. "I  
never saw anything like them. And  
the diamonds are fine too. But those  
old fashioned settings are horrible. I  
shall have them all reset at once. Do  
you know the address of a good jew-  
eler?"  
"Linklater of Bond street is one of  
the best, I believe. But, if you will  
excuse me saying so, don't you think  
the matter will keep till the colonel's  
return? I'm not sure that he would  
care to have them altered."  
"Oh, he won't object if it is my  
wish," she said sweetly. "I am going  
into the town early tomorrow. I shall  
wire myself to Linklater's to send one  
of their people to fetch them."  
He quietly ran up to London in the  
morning and paid a visit to Mr. Link-  
later, to whom he explained the cir-  
cumstances and then requested that the  
stones should not be unset until they  
heard from the colonel himself.  
"But, my dear sir," the jeweler  
said, "I know nothing of these jewels.  
No such telegram as you mention has  
been received by us."  
The September afternoon was waning  
when he got back to Broadwater, and  
Mrs. Fairholme, superb in a velvet din-  
ner gown, swept across the hall to greet  
him.  
"You tiresome fellow," she said play-  
fully, "where have you been all day?  
The man from Linklater's has been here  
since 3 o'clock waiting for you to come  
home with the strongroom keys."  
There was a moment's pause, wherein  
a dozen wild ideas flashed through  
Dick's brain. It was evident that Mrs.  
Fairholme had merely used the pretext  
of wishing the jewels reset in order to  
get them out of the house.  
"Oh, of course. I forgot. He has  
come for the jewels, hasn't he? I'll  
fetch them."  
But when he reappeared his hands  
were empty.  
"I'm awfully sorry, Mrs. Fairholme,"  
he said coolly, "but I've mislaid my  
keys. I hope I haven't dropped them  
out of doors."  
"I don't think it will be much use  
searching for them," she replied, with  
an unpleasant laugh. "I shall have a  
locksmith down from London the first  
thing in the morning. And the jeweler's  
man shall wait."  
Dick wrote out a telegram and gave it  
to a groom with a sovereign. "Send  
it off at once, Rogers. And keep a still  
tongue in your head."  
The message ran as follows:  
To Colonel Fairholme, on board the Aus-  
talian mail steamer Oratava at Naples:  
Return overland. Imperative business.  
Please don't fail. Dick.  
If the colonel obeyed, he would be at  
home in three days—that is to say, four  
days before he would have arrived un-  
der ordinary circumstances—four days  
before he was expected by Mrs. Fair-  
holme.  
When the locksmith arrived, Dick had  
a little private conversation with him,  
and a bank note changed hands. As the  
result, the man told Mrs. Fairholme  
that the job was a long one, and that he  
could not undertake to accomplish it  
under three days.  
The mysterious man, who was not  
from Bond street, went away, and on  
the third afternoon returned, but the  
strongroom door was not opened yet.  
The workman was awaiting instruc-  
tions.  
About 5 p. m. there was a rattle of  
wheels in the avenue, and somebody  
rang the front door bell.  
The next moment the colonel, in travel-  
ing cap and ulster, stepped into the  
lamplight. She shrieked and sprang to  
her feet, overturning the bamboo table  
with a crash.  
"Colonel Fairholme!" she gasped  
wildly. "Home already!"  
"Mrs. Bellarmine! Bless me, what a  
remarkable thing! Why, I thought I  
had left you in Melbourne!"  
"Then she's not your wife?" cried  
Dick aghast.  
"My wife!" exclaimed his uncle, per-  
plexed to irritability. "You know very  
well I have no wife, sir! I met this  
lady and her husband in Melbourne,  
and they very kindly nursed me through  
my bout of influenza. I told you so in  
my letters."  
Of course the "man from Linklater's"  
was her husband, and the pair of ad-  
venturers, knowing the colonel's plans,  
had taken advantage of his illness to in-  
tercept his letters, forge substitutes to  
serve their own ends and make this  
bold attempt to steal the famous rubies.  
The colonel beamed upon his nephew.  
"And what shall I do for you, Dick,  
for saving my rubies?"  
"You can repay me very easily if you  
like, sir. Call upon Sir George Warbur-  
ton."  
The colonel made a grimace. But he  
went. And within two months Evelyn's  
prophecy was fulfilled.—Answers.

## A Fruitful Desert.

The desert of Sahara is not all a desert.  
In 1892 more than 9,000,000 of  
sheep wintered in the Algerian Sahara,  
paying a duty of 1,763,000 francs  
(\$352,000). These sheep were worth 20  
francs (\$4) apiece, & in all 175,000,000  
francs. The Sahara nourishes also 2,000,-  
000 goats and 200,000 camels, paying a  
duty of 1,000,000 francs. In the oases  
palm, citrons and apricots abound;  
there are cultivated also onions, pinen-  
tos and various leguminous vegetables.  
The oases contain 1,500,000 date palms,  
on which the duty is 500,000 francs.  
The product of a date tree varies from  
8 to 10 francs; these of the desert give  
about 15,000,000 a year.—New York  
Tribune.

## Too Much Knowledge.

"Some men," said Farmer Corn-  
tossel, "is too well posted. L'arnin is a  
fine thing, but it's a misfit sometimes."  
"What's the matter?" inquired his  
wife.  
"Thet new hired man hez so much  
ter say 'bout the silver question that he  
stan's roun an lets the hay git rained  
on."—Washington Star.

## SAILING AWAY.

Sailing away with the wind abeam,  
And the wide, wide sea before;  
Sailing away in a lover's dream  
To the port of the golden shore,  
Idle hands on the rudder bands,  
Hope in the sunrise fair,  
And hearts as light as the sea bird white  
Afloat in the morning air.  
Love, in the dawn of that faroff time,  
Did you guess of the weary way?  
Dearest, when life seemed a summer rhyme  
Could we tell where we went astray?  
Silent tears through the coming years,  
Darkness for you and me,  
And doubt and dread of the wilds ahead  
Fell chill as we sailed a-sea.  
Sailing ashore with a waning wind  
On the glass of a dreaming tide,  
Leaving the dark of the deep behind  
For the light of the other side,  
Loosen hands from the rudder bands!  
Ah, to the margin foam  
Comes breath of land o'er the golden sand.  
Oh, sweet is our welcome home!  
—William Woodward in Chambers' Journal.

## A BICYCLE CHASE.

Milo Warren was making a call on a  
girl to whom he was fondly attached,  
although he had never told her so.  
But this was a case where actions speak  
louder than words, and—leave a girl  
alone for finding out if a young man  
regards her with favor. Every girl is  
clairvoyant where affairs of the heart  
are concerned.  
They were talking about their birth-  
days and the pleasant custom of giving  
presents at such a time.  
"Let me see," said Milo thought-  
fully, "did you say your birthday came  
in September, Miss Nellie?"  
"I did not say," remarked Miss Nel-  
lie demurely.  
"Then it was December, wasn't it?  
Some lucky fellow will be giving you a  
diamond, perhaps."  
"Or a souvenir spoon," laughed Nel-  
lie. "You know they made jewel spoons  
for birthday gifts, but all the girls  
changed their birthdays to December,  
and the young men could not stand the  
expense, and they sent a petition to the  
manufacturers, asking them to discon-  
tinue the custom; so no more spoons are  
in the market."  
"I—I—I—really wish you would tell  
me when your natal day arrives. I  
might at least send you a bunch of roses,  
in remembrance of all the—the—happy  
days we have spent together. Is it this  
month, Miss Nellie?"  
"You remind me of the parlor game,  
'Is it this? Is it that?'" said Miss  
Nellie, and then fearing that the  
young man was becoming sentimental  
she turned the conversation to other  
subjects.  
But the next day Milo Warren dropped  
casually into the store where Miss Nellie  
Newton's best brother was engaged as  
bookkeeper and inquired solemnly at  
the grating window which permitted a  
segment of his countenance to appear if  
that young man would take lunch with  
him.  
"Certainly," was the brusque reply  
from a month full of pens. "I'll meet  
thee at Philippi—I mean at Hunger &  
Co.'s—in an hour."  
He was there, and at the pleasant  
spread of good things provided Milo  
Warren propounded this conundrum:  
"If you like a girl awfully, but  
haven't told her so, and you think she  
maybe likes you awfully—no, I don't  
mean that—but if that girl has a birth-  
day and you want to make her a pre-  
sent, and she won't tell you when it is—  
the birthday, you know—oh, hang it  
all, I'm everlastingly mixed up. Can't  
you help a fellow out?"  
Lyman Newton laid aside his knife  
and fork and looking Milo in the face,  
asked seriously:  
"Any insanity in your family, Milo?"  
"None that I ever heard of outside of  
my own case," was the depressed an-  
swer.  
"Reducing your heroics to a plain  
statement, then, you want to give a girl  
of your acquaintance a birthday pre-  
sent?"  
"Exactly."  
"Is she an 'old woman'?"  
"What do you mean?" roared War-  
ren, turning red. "I'll thank you to  
speak with respect of my friends—be-  
sides!"  
"Oh, no harm done; don't get rile-  
d so easily. I wanted to know if she be-  
longed to the past age or the present.  
I take it, then, that she's a 'new woman'?"  
"I understand now. Yes, I believe  
she has advanced opinions, but she isn't  
one of those dreadful creatures that ad-  
vocate the wearing of bloomers. Nellie  
is the soul of womanly modesty  
and—"  
"Nellie? Do I know this bright par-  
ticular star?"  
"Why, of course you do—I quite for-  
got—she's your own sister!"  
"Well, I like that! And you want  
to make her a birthday present and  
don't know the day. Sorry, old fellow,  
but I can't help you out. Nellie would  
take my head off if I told."  
That ended the lunch, but an unfore-  
seen thing happened. Just as Milo War-  
ren left his company at the corner he  
saw an urchin he knew. It was the in-  
flection known as Nellie's youngest  
brother, aged 7, capacity for mischief  
seven times seven, precocity unlimited  
by any period of time.  
Milo, with malice prepense, engaged  
the dear child in a surfeit of sweets  
and then asked, as if the idea was not  
of the least consequence and had just  
occurred to him:  
"When does sister Nellie have a birth-  
day?"  
The dear child looked at him for a  
moment, drew his mouth round under  
his ear, elevated both eyebrows and  
said in a confiding, infantile voice:  
"What'll you give her now?"  
Advantageous terms being made, the  
boy puckered his mouth for a whistle,  
thought better of it and gave the fol-  
lowing Saturday as his sister's birth-  
day.  
"An if yer want to make yerself  
solid—see, just send her a real stunner  
of a bike."  
"What! A bicycle? Does she ride?"  
"How kin she? I reckon she kin learn,  
mister. Yer just send that bike—there  
ain't nothin Nell wants wuss nor that."

With this advice and being sworn to  
secrecy, the small terror bowed himself  
off.  
It gave Milo Warren something to do  
to purchase that bicycle and have it de-  
livered to Miss Nellie on her birthday  
in an anonymous manner. He expected  
it back every hour for about a week,  
but it did not come, and he felt safe.  
The small brother had not betrayed him  
after all.  
But after a little he began to wish he  
had, for Miss Nellie had evidently  
mounted that bicycle and ridden out of  
his life. He called, but she was out on  
her bicycle, no matter what the hour  
was, noon or night, and he got himself  
run over on the street and knocked  
down daily by dashing out from side-  
walk corners to see who the rider was  
and getting hurt for his pains. When he  
could stand it no longer, he came to a  
sudden resolve—he would buy a bicycle  
for himself and perhaps be able to find  
Nellie.  
And now began an exciting chase  
for life and liberty, for at one moment  
the amateur bicyclist was under the feet  
of a trampling horse, the next he was  
running over a wrathful pedestrian, and  
he usually ended his experiences by  
picking up his frisky steed and carrying  
it to the shop for repairs.  
And all this time he never caught a  
glimpse of Nellie, but he was inclined  
to think he divined the cause. Judging  
from his own experience in learning to  
ride a bicycle, Nellie might be exercis-  
ing her own fractions acquisition on  
some remote roadway outside the city  
limits—or, dreadful thought, might  
even be laid up herself for repairs. He  
called on the bookkeeper brother, but  
found him busy and noncommittal.  
So he waited and tried to possess his  
soul with patience and learn to ride a  
bicycle without the zigzag motion that  
had endangered the lives of the popu-  
lace and nearly caused his arrest by the  
police.  
Then he made the discovery that if  
he gave his wheel its head it would  
behave much better than when he  
guided it carefully, to the end that it  
traversed both sides of the street at  
once. After acting like a thing pos-  
sessed it learned to behave, and he  
found himself skimming along like a  
bird on the wing, with an exultant  
sense of freedom and delight, and he  
longed to see Nellie and tell her what  
he had been trying to say for months—  
that he loved her!  
And at that moment there whizzed  
past him a vision in bloomers, one of  
those dreadful new women of whom he  
had heard and now was to see. He  
almost felt that it was disloyalty to gen-  
tle little Nellie to even look at such an  
apparition, but somehow she looked so  
quaint in her saucy jacket and baggy  
trousers, her neatly gaitered feet were  
so pert and independent, that Milo  
looked and looked again. Then he gave  
a great whoop and took after the flying  
wheel like a streak of lightning.  
His confidence stood him instead of  
skill. He went spinning along in fine  
style until he reached a parallel with  
the girl in bloomers, then he leaned  
over to speak to her, toppled and fell in  
a heap, but not before he had gasped,  
"Nellie!"  
That young lady skillfully eluded the  
wreck, made a fancy turn and, and  
as Milo gathered himself up, said pleas-  
antly:  
"Why, Mr. Warren, I didn't know  
that you rode a wheel."  
"I don't," said the young man rue-  
fully, feeling of his elbow to determine  
whether it was dislocated or merely  
abraded, "but you, Miss Nellie, are  
quite an expert."  
Miss Nellie murmured something  
about the wheel being a present from  
her brother, and that she had not cared  
to ride, but did just to please him.  
"But you ought to see my little broth-  
er ride," she said, with enthusiasm.  
"He rides the wheel when I am not  
using it, and he makes it spin. Why, he  
rides standing up, and I'm afraid some-  
thing will happen to him."  
Milo was walking along, leading his  
wheel, as if he preferred that way, and  
Miss Nellie gave him several exhibi-  
tions of her skill, and each moment  
made a stronger and more lasting im-  
pression on the poor fellow's heart. But  
even bicycle courtship comes to an end,  
and they were at Nellie's home, and he  
must leave her, unless—he asked for a  
glass of water, and before it was brought  
he sat down with the wheel on the side-  
walk. It was a sudden and most effec-  
tive stroke of art. Nellie cried and  
asked if he was killed anywhere. Mrs.  
Newton brought camphor. They got  
him into the house, and then he was  
able to speak, and said what was true  
enough—that he had lost his head for a  
moment.  
The two most expert cyclists on the  
avenue are Milo and Nellie. You will  
recognize her by her brown bloomer  
suit, which is much admired, and him  
by the glad smile which mingles his ex-  
pressive countenance. Nellie knows now  
who gave her the wheel, and Milo has  
had another example of the total de-  
pravity of the small brother. Nellie's  
birthday comes in January, but to ex-  
pense date matters the imp changed it to July.  
However, all's well that ends well.—  
Mrs. M. L. Rayne in Detroit Free Press.

## Everything Goes.

Yabsley—Who was it that said, "Gen-  
ius was an infinite capacity for taking  
pains?"  
Wickwire—I don't know who said it,  
but if it be true my wife is a genius. She  
never reads a patent medicine almanac  
without at once taking all the symptoms  
it describes.—Indianapolis Journal.  
A Brilliant Spirit of Repartee.  
She—It is reported around town that  
we are engaged.  
He—I have heard worse things than  
that.  
She—I never have.—Texas Sittings.  
A Knowing One.  
"I don't gamble," said the cannibal  
as he took the lid off the sailor soap,  
"but I guess I'll open this jack pot."—  
Life.

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Junior, to Sewall P. Harker dated May 17th,  
1881, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for  
the County of Middlesex, (50, Dist.) Book 1567,  
Page 825, and duly assigned to the subscriber,  
will be sold at public auction, for breach of the  
conditions of said mortgage, on the premises  
hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the  
Second day of October, 1895, at 130 o'clock,  
in the afternoon, all and singular the  
premises conveyed by said mortgage deed,  
and therein described substantially as  
follows:—A certain parcel of land situated  
on the Northeastly side of Waban Park  
in Newton, being that part of lot numbered  
2 shaded in red on a plan drawn by E. S. Smith,  
Surveyor, dated May 21, 1880, duly recorded,  
bounded and described as follows: Beginning at  
the Westerly corner of said lot by land of one  
Taylor, thence Southeastly by said Waban  
Park, 75 feet; thence turning and running  
Northeastly by land now or late of Sewall P.  
Harker, 81 feet; thence turning and running  
Southeastly again by said land of Barker, 5  
feet; thence turning and running Northeastly  
by said land of Barker, 65.12 feet to land of  
Nicholson; thence turning and running North-  
westly by said land of Nicholson, 80.36 feet to  
said land of Taylor; thence turning and running  
Southwestly by said land of Taylor, 138.51 feet  
to Waban Park the point of beginning. Contain-  
ing 1085 square feet according to said plan. Sub-  
ject to the conditions set forth in the title deeds,  
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cable.  
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ditions and to any and all unpaid taxes and  
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al property, book 21 page 226, and also recorded  
in Clerk's Office of the City of Boston, book 772  
page 194, will be sold at Public auction on Wed-  
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**SUMMER TIME-TABLE, JUNE 24, 1895.**

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SUNDAY TRAINS.

LEAVE BOSTON FOR LYNN AND WINTHROP at 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.05, 11.35 a. m., 12.05, 1.35, 2.05, 2.35, 3.05, 3.35, 4.05, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.05, 11.35 p. m.

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**Newton to Bowdoin Square**  
Huron Ave. to Bowdoin Square, via Concord Ave. and Garden St.  
Time—First car, 6.05, 6.25 a. m., and every 20 minutes to 11.05 p. m. Return 35 minutes later.  
Sunday—First car 8.05 a. m., and every 20 minutes to 11.05 p. m., last car.  
Mount Auburn to Bowdoin Square.  
Time—First car, 6.35, 6.55 a. m., then 4.03, and 20 minutes to 6.43 p. m. Return 35 minutes later.  
Newton and Watertown to Bowdoin Square (via Mt. Auburn St. and Harvard Sq.).  
Time—First car leave Newton 5.57 a. m., 6.12 and every 15 minutes to 12.27, 12.45 and 10 minutes to 9.25, 9.42, 9.57, 10.10 p. m., and 20 minutes to 10.50 p. m. last car.  
Return, leave Bowdoin Sq., 53 minutes later.  
First car from Bowdoin Square at 6.08, 6.28, 6.49 a. m., last car 11.42 p. m.  
Sunday—7.27, and 15 minutes to 9.57, 10.15, 10.30, 10.50, p. m., last car.  
First car from Bowdoin Sq., 8.18 a. m., last car 11.41 p. m.  
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LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

Babington, William Dalton. Fallacies of Race Theories as applied to National Characteristics; Essays. The writer holds that the mental and moral characteristics which distinguish groups of men called nations are in which they have been placed, and denies the popular theory of heredity. 84.360  
Bates, Lois. New Recitations for Infants. 54.983  
Containing recitations with actions for children of four, five and six years of age.  
Benson, Edward F. Judgment Books. Bickerville, John. Days of my Life on Water, Fresh and Salt; and other Papers. 61.969  
Bigg, Charles. Neoplatonism. In this volume of the Chief Ancient Philosophies, the history of the later Platonism is preceded by a brief review of Stoicism. 62.582  
Boulger, T. H. (The Gift). An Island Princess, a Story of Six Weeks—and afterwards. 61.970  
Butterworth, Ezekiah. In Old New England; the Romance of a Colonial Fireside. 61.972  
Confucius. The Confucian Analects; a Translation with Annotations and an Intro. by Wm. Jennings. 91.829  
Conquer, Louis. Majesty. 64.1025  
Dodge, Mary Abigail. (Gail Hamilton). Biography of James G. Blaine. 97.392  
Dwight, Theodore F., ed. Critical Sketches of Federal and Confederate Commanders. 77.246  
Papers read before the Military Hist. Soc. of Mass., which form an epitome of the history of the four years of conflict as seen from different points of view, in special relation to the leaders and commanders of the greater campaigns.  
Hawkins, N. Aids to Engineers' Examinations, with Questions and Answers. 104.027  
A summary of the principles and practice of steam engineering.  
Jackson, Frederick George. The Great Frozen Land; Narrative of a Winter Journey across the Tundra and a Sojourn among the Samoyeds; edited from Journals, by A. Montefiore. 36.356  
Mr. Jackson's sledge-journey across Arctic Russia was taken in the winter of 1893-4.  
La Brea, Ben, ed. The Confederate Soldier in the Civil War. 7.755  
Contains an account of the foundation and formation of the Confederacy, the campaigns, battles, etc., and the Navy with the naval engagements, etc.  
Le Sage, Alain Rene. Historia de Gil Blas (in Spanish). 44.117  
Menschikov, N. Analytical chemistry. Trans. by James Locke. 106.341  
Trevelyan, Marie. From Snow-don to the Sea; stirring Stories of North and South Wales. 64.973  
Among the highlands of the North and the lowlands of the South, the traditions, folk-lore and romances woven into these stories were collected.  
Van Dyke, Theodore S. Game Birds at Home. 102.713  
Fourteen chapters about our best-known game birds, as the quail, grouse, turkey, woodcock, geese, ducks and a few others.  
Wells, H. S. The Time Machine; an Invention. 61.973  
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Sept. 11, 1895.

**BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.**

**CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.**—Plotow's "Martha" the opera selected for production next week by the Castle Square Opera Company with the following cast: Lady Harriet Durham, maid of honor to the Queen, Miss Clara Lane; Nancy, her waiting maid, Miss Kate Davis; Lord Tristram, Mickleford; Lady Harriet's cousin, Mr. William Wolff; Plunkett, a wealthy young farmer, Mr. J. K. Murray; the Sheriff, Mr. Arthur Wooley. The scene of "Martha" is laid at Richmond, in Queen Anne's time. This grand opera will find worthy interpretation at the hands of the Castle Square singers. The company with its recent new comers, Miss Lane, Miss Davis and Mr. Murray, has achieved unparalleled popularity the present week. "Martha" is a four-act opera.  
**GRAND OPERA HOUSE.**—It was a great feather in the Grand Opera House managerial cap to secure W. T. Carleton, the famous baritone of standard and comic opera, for the continuous performance at that house. His salary is said to be for the week \$1200, quite a tidy sum. This is the famous Carleton who has had for many seasons the Carleton Opera Company. He created the leading roles in "The Merry War," "Iolanthe," "Beggar Student," "Queen of Land Hockbergh" and many other operas. He sings twice daily, at 4.45 and 8.50 p. m. Hughey Dougherty, Edwin French, Staak & Milton, Watson & Hutchings, and a number of other stars make up another extraordinary program this week. The house was packed last night. The Wrestling Pony is a great card for ladies and children in the afternoon. The seats are 50 cts., 25 cts., and 10 cts., and a full grand orchestra helps the bill. The performance are continuous from 2 till 10.30 p. m.

**A Timely Reminder.**  
Each season forces upon our consideration its own peculiar perils to health. The advent of fall finds many reduced in strength and vigor, poorly prepared to continue the business of life, from bowels to bowels, the great highway of animal economy, is especially liable to disorder in the fall. The nervous system has also suffered in the struggle. Typhoid fever and malaria in particular find in the fall that combination of earth, air and water that mark this season as especially dangerous. The falling leaves, the decaying vegetables contribute their share of contamination. Hood's Sarsaparilla furnishes a most valuable safeguard at these important points, and should be used in the fall before serious sickness has laid you low.

**Fifth Regiment Field Day at Newton.**  
It has been decided to hold the annual field day of the Fifth Regiment, M. V. M., near the Co. C shooting range at Waban, Oct. 10. As this is the 25th anniversary, the exercises will be elaborate and on a large scale. It is expected that the regiment will be dismissed at West Newton after a review by the mayor and members of the city government, and that staff and field officers, together with the members of the Clafin Guard Veteran Association, under escort of Co. C, will dine and hold the usual exercises at a place not yet decided upon. A meeting of the Clafin Guard Veteran Association was held Tuesday evening to take action upon their part of the entertainment and a committee of arrangements was appointed consisting of the officers of the organization and ex-Capt. Aplin, Quartermaster F. P. Barnes and ex-Sergt. Chas. Hill.

We know of no preparation for the hair and scalp that equals Hall's Hair Renewer.

**BLOOMER DECKED HENS.**

UNSIGHTLINESS OF THE NEW ATTIRE CURES A WOMAN OF THE CRAZE.

One man has found a cure for the bloomer craze. He was a shrewd Vermont, and his wife has been addicted to the bloomer habit for several weeks. In vain has he coaxed, expostulated and threatened, but his better half has refused to give up her sagger costume. After this sort of urging had gone on for awhile, says the Philadelphia Times, the wife went out for a spin one day clad in her favorite togs. When she presented her husband sat down to the sewing machine and made a pair of bloomers for every hen on the place. He drew them on the hens, and when his wife returned he called her to the barnyard. "They look exactly as you do," he said, "only they are a good deal more graceful." You can depend upon it there were some lively words for a few moments, but the woman has not worn bloomers since, and what is more, she declares she will never be seen in them again. This might be a good remedy for other husbands to try who fail to see the beauty of the new woman's latest rig and to properly appreciate it.

Cholera Morbus is a dangerous complaint, and often is fatal in its results. To avoid this you should use De Witt's Colic & Cholera Cure, as soon as the first symptoms appear. Arthur Hudson, Newton; Bernard Billings, Newton Upper Falls; Walter P. Thorn, Auburndale.

**CAMBRIDGE TEAM CAN'T COME.**

IT HAS TO DECLINE "THE B. A. A.-NEWTON INVITATION TO PLAY HERE."

The B. A. A. and the Newton A. A. have been trying to secure the team of the Cambridge University to compete at a set of games in Newton, to be held jointly by both clubs. From the tone of the following letter, however, just received by Athletic Manager Graham of the B. A. A., it is unlikely that the team will come here:

Hotel Majestic, New Haven, Ct., Sept. 7, 1895.

Dear Sir: Mr. Horan received your very kind letter of Sept. 7 and asks me to say that, although he and many of the team would be delighted to compete at your meeting in October, under present arrangement it is quite impossible.

Our games against Yale are fixed for Oct. 5, and our departure for Oct. 8. The team would enjoy very much seeing other parts of the country and competing at various meetings if they could do so, but as it is they will be late for the commencement of the Cambridge term.

Your very kind invitation is greatly appreciated, and it is with regret that on this occasion it has to be declined.

Yours truly, Henry Hicks,

Business Manager C. U. A. C. John Graham, Boston.

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**BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.**

IN OLD NEW ENGLAND.

Mr. Ezekiah Butterworth has brought together under the title of In Old New England thirteen stories which have been in print before but bear re-reading. The author delighted in them when as a boy he listened to them on old red settles by chimney fires or in the country grocery store or the husking party, and he says they have always haunted him and he has liked to reproduce them after his own fashion. Quite a number of the stories are "Tales Haunted Ovens." "Wych Hazel, the Jew," and "Milo Mills' Fourth of July Poem." The stories about the Pokanoket country are rich and racy. As folklore of a region full of historic associations, where the people had striking traits of character and customs of their own, these legends, traditions, and old wives' tales have intrinsic value.—D. Appleton & Co. 50c.

**THE STARK MUNRO LETTERS.**

D. Appleton & Co. have just published A. Conan Doyle's "The Stark Munro Letters," in a handsomely bound and printed volume of nearly 400 pages. They are, as the title indicates, letters written to a friend and former fellow student, who resides in Lowell, Mass., and record some of the troubles each used two boxes of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve and cured a large running sore on his leg. Had been under care of Physician for months without obtaining relief. Now cure for Piles. Arthur Hudson, Newton; Bernard Billings, Newton Upper Falls; Walter P. Thorn, Auburndale.

Mr. A. A. Snyder, Supt. Poor Farm, Wineshiek Co., Ia., says:—Last winter Mr. Robert Leach used two boxes of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve and cured a large running sore on his leg. Had been under care of Physician for months without obtaining relief. Now cure for Piles. Arthur Hudson, Newton; Bernard Billings, Newton Upper Falls; Walter P. Thorn, Auburndale.

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(From Judge.)

Friend—Your son, I understand, has literary aspirations. Does he write for money? Father (feelingly)—Unceasingly.

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It is pretty and romantic to sit and gaze at the moon these nights, but there is more money in getting up in time to gaze at the sunrise.—Aitchison Globe.

You cannot be well unless your blood is pure. Therefore purify your blood with the best blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla.

**THINNING FRUIT.**

It Makes a More Profitable Crop and Saves the Trees.

The next essential thing after you have got your fruit started, says Mr. J. H. Hale, the Connecticut fruit grower, is a judicious thinning of it. I believe the thinning of apples should begin when they first begin to bear. A well planted and well fed tree will begin to bear early. Only let it bear a little. Allow some of the strength to go into the development of the fruit buds for next year. Next year thin pretty closely; then by and by you will build up an orchard that will have no off years in it. There isn't an off year. It is because the apples are in the hands of an off man. Thinning constantly would bring it into constant bearing.

It is seed growing that exhausts the vitality. There are no more seeds in a large fruit than in a small one, and a large one doesn't take any more vitality out of a tree. If a Keiffer pear tree has on it a thousand pears, and you take off 500 of them, the balance will weigh as much as the whole of them and bring more money, weakening the tree only half as much. Our rule for thinning peaches is not to leave one within four inches of another. This covers the ground with green fruit and looks like destruction, but at the end of the season there are more bushels than there would have been.

Thin by hand. Put stepladders under the trees and put boys on them whose bump of destructiveness is large, and tell them to go ahead. We begin when the peaches are three-quarters of an inch in diameter, and take everything that is curculio stung and diseased. These we cart away and burn. The rest that are taken off are dropped on the ground and left there. In future our three or four year old peach trees shall not bear over 250 peaches; our four or five year old trees not over 300, and full grown trees not over 500. That means six inches apart; 500 peaches on a tree will make six to eight baskets of fancy fruit. Three thousand peaches to a tree won't make more, nor sell for more money, and the trees are ruined.—Hartford Times.

**AN EXPRESSMAN'S HARVEST.**

Queer Things the Northern Soldiers Sent Home From the War.

The greatest harvest reaped by the principal express companies was during the late war of the rebellion, when everything was sent and received by express, no matter what the cost. The writer of this sketch had a varied and somewhat tedious experience in the business during that protracted disturbance, and was witness to many scenes of somber and many of a humorous character. These were mostly seen in the returns from the seat of war just after a battle.

Sometimes after a victorious Federal action, or the capture of a rebel town, the officers, as well as the men, made a practice of sending home trophies they had captured. These often were household effects of comparatively little value, and cost the recipients at home a large tax for express transportation. Sometimes live stock was sent, consisting largely of dogs and donkeys, sometimes a singing bird, or fowls of peculiar breed. On one occasion a stalwart negro fellow was received at the Boston office, sent by an officer who found he could do nothing else with him and thought he might be of use on his farm at home. The grinning dorky had a card firmly fastened about his neck, giving the address where to land him, with this direction: "Feed and grub this nigger all that he needs."

It was sad, however, to see the rough boxes often piled up outside the office containing the remains of the boys in blue sent home for burial among the scenes which they had left a short time before for the southern battlefields. These relics often proved a burdensome cost to their bereaved families at home. We were always glad to forward remittances of money to the oftentimes distressed ones at home. The business transacted by some of the big expresses, Adams & Co., for instance, was of enormous proportions, and added largely to the wealth of many proprietors, the terrible war proving a godsend to them at last.—Boston Transcript.

**To Supplant Tin Cans.**

Cans made of paper pulp are being introduced to take the place of tin cans for containing all kinds of preserved products, says the New York Sun. The occasional cases of poisoning from canned goods are due to the contents becoming tainted through the cans not being airtight. Many millions of tin cans are used annually by canned goods factories in this country, and such cases of injury from tainted goods are comparatively rare, but because it is possible, through slight defects in the solder or minute leaks in the cans, for such danger to befall the canners have been looking for a satisfactory substitute for tin. It is believed that this has at last been found in the paper pulp cans. They are oilproof as well as waterproof, will not expand or contract, and will stand as much rough usage in shipment as tin cans, and perhaps more.

**The Wheel a Test of Character.**

Certain disgruntled philosophers have contended that the woman you see is seldom the woman you think you see. Mounted upon bicycles, most women have to tell the truth about themselves. One can distinguish at a glance the dashing, willful beauty from the timid, tender girl. The woman is reduced for the moment to the plane of a boy, whose good looks or lack of them, health, vigor or mind and body are apparent. I will even go so far as to advise a man not to get married until he has seen the object of his choice disport herself upon a bicycle.—Philadelphia Times.

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#### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, rarley Newton.  
—Mr. D. O. B. Thomas is the guest of relatives here.  
—Miss Alice Clement is passing some weeks at Magnolia.  
—Miss Mary Ward is attending the Holyoke Seminary.  
—Mr. and Miss Gammons are passing some weeks at Belfast.  
—The Theological Institution has about its usual number of students.  
—Mr. Watson Armstrong will return this week from Nova Scotia.  
—Mr. J. W. Thorne has taken a school to teach at Sugar Hill, New York.  
—Mr. Goodman of Beacon street has returned from his summer outing.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Towle of Oxford road have returned from their vacation.  
—Mr. J. Q. Cole's residence on Langley road is being remodeled and repaired.  
—Mrs. W. B. Merrill is passing several weeks at Sugar Hill, New Hampshire.  
—Mr. C. H. Bennett of Beacon street has returned from a several weeks' vacation.  
—Dr. Boyington and family of Langley road have returned from their summer outing.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Hasbrook of Cypress street are entertaining friends from out of town.  
—Mr. and Mrs. William Thayer of Beacon street have returned from their European trip.  
—Mr. P. H. Butler and family of Crystal street have returned from their summer outing.  
—Mrs. F. E. LeCompte is at home, having passed some weeks at South West Harbor.  
—Mr. Kidder and family of Summer street have returned from their summer outing.  
—Rev. Dr. Clark of Hamilton, N. Y., occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church last Sunday.  
—Miss Alice Chandler of Chicago and Miss Ellen Blake of Worcester are at Mrs. Thorpe's.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Thayer of Beacon street have returned from their summer's trip.  
—Rev. Dr. Brown of Philadelphia will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church next Sunday.  
—Mr. J. Edward Rising and family of Beacon street have returned from their summer home.  
—Mr. Charles Copeland and family of Grey Cliff road have returned after an absence of several weeks.  
—Mrs. A. G. Foster and family have passed the summer visiting various points of interest on the Cape.  
—Rev. Harry P. Dewey and family of Concord, N. H., are visiting Mrs. Dewey's father at Newton Centre.  
—Mr. W. A. Foster and family of Lake avenue are at home, having passed the summer at the mountains.  
—Mr. R. Sherman Alkley is expected home tomorrow from Nova Scotia, where he passed several weeks.  
—Mr. Emery intends to give an organ recital the first part of next month. He will be supported by Boston talent.  
—The handsome new library connected with the Theological Seminary has been opened for the use of the students.  
—Mr. Wm. B. Locke has returned from a pleasant trip South, spending some time in Virginia and a little time in Washington, D. C.  
—The annual meeting of the Young Peoples' Union, which was appointed for last Tuesday evening, was postponed until the last of this month.  
—Prof. H. W. Boyington who has occupied his father's residence during the summer months, has returned to his chair at Phillips' Exeter Academy.  
—The young ladies' building on Chase street will soon be ready for occupancy. This edifice is to be used for the accommodation of the young ladies studying for missionary work.  
—Prof. Henry T. DeWolfe of the Theological Institution has accepted a call from the Baptist church of Foxboro and will remove there as soon as the health of Mrs. DeWolfe will allow.  
—There are letters remaining in the post office for Mrs. Gannon, Mr. Margaret O'Leary, S. J. Coleman, Justin Downing, E. G. Keane, Mary S. Pope, Mrs. Mary Strong and Mrs. John Ramore.  
—The engagement is announced of Miss Ethel Josephine Garey, daughter of Mr. Charles B. Garey, to Mr. William Julian Henderson, son of Mr. Charles A. Henderson, recently British Consul at Boston.  
—Mr. Wells Polly was severely injured by a heavy piece of iron falling on his ankle, while he was unloading meat from a team Monday noon. He was removed to his home and is as comfortable as could be expected.  
—Mr. Alvah J. Roach, for many years employed by Mr. A. W. Snow, and years ago a clerk in the store of Mr. Stillman C. Spaulding on Station street, died suddenly on Monday of heart failure at the Cottage Hospital, where he had gone to have an abscess opened; no operation had been commenced.  
—It is rumored that the Newton Athletic Association will give a series of Minstrel entertainments during the early winter. Judging the new organization by its athletic standing, the people of Newton may expect the boys of the "pet organization" to give a high class of entertainments.  
—The Unitarian church will reopen for services next Sunday, Sept. 15, at 10.30. The pastor will preach and the full quartet choir will render the music. We hope to see all our people and our friends old and new. The Sunday school will meet at 12 to organize for the new season. New and attractive lessons and material will be provided.  
—A quiet wedding took place last week Monday noon at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. A. E. Webb of Warren street, the contracting parties being Miss Bessie M. Boyle and Mr. Geo. E. Davis, both of this village. Rev. E. M. Noyes performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Davis left town on the afternoon train for the West, where they will reside for the present.  
—The annual business meeting of the Euterpe was held Wednesday evening at the house of the director, Mr. F. H. Wood. The officers for the ensuing season were elected as follows: Pres., Mr. Bertrand V. Degen; Treas., Mr. Gardner C. Bassett; Sec., Miss Florence Wood; Miss Emeline H. Curtis and Mr. Wm. L. Heck were elected on the executive committee, and the members of the voice committee, appointed by the president, are Miss Grace E. Fobes, soprano; Miss Margaret Logan, alto; Mr. Frank H. Morehouse, tenor, and Mr. Russell A. Ballou, Jr., bass. The rehearsals of the club will begin immediately, and work will be taken up in preparation for a concert to be given in the fall.

—The Newton Athletic Association held its first football practice on its new grounds on Cedar street, and some twenty-five men responded to the call for candidates. The team will be unusually strong this year and the series of games which the management have arranged this season promises to eclipse anything ever before offered. The work Saturday consisted principally of catching and falling on the ball after which the men were lined up for a game of push ball. Three innings of a minute each were played in a game which proved quite as unique and interesting as the ball itself. It has been proposed to play a series of push ball games at the big football matches this fall, during the intermission and two teams composed of Harvard and N. A. A. men are now being organized to introduce the game on a scientific basis. On Saturday the teams lined up as follows: Red and Blue—E. R. Crane, Capt. back; tackles, R. W. P. Brown, C. Walworth; rushers, J. L. Knox, S. Dewitt, A. P. Legate, W. W. Heckman, White—L. Paul, Capt. back; tackles, W. C. Johnson, P. Seales; rushers, P. T. Treadwell, F. S. Eddy, F. W. Eddy, G. F. Skelton; officials, R. B. Buck, (J. W. Ball) umpire; T. Weston, Jr., referee; A. L. Wakefield, timer. Score, 3 to 0 in favor of red and blue.

#### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—St. Paul's Sunday school opens next Sunday.  
—Services at St. Paul's next Sunday at 9.45, 10.45 and 7.  
—The Durgin family have returned from their stay at Duxbury.  
—Mr. Frank Graham is having an addition built to his house.  
—Mr. Arthur E. Hartwell, who has been at Conway, Mass., has returned.  
—The Holbrook family are at home from their summer travels.  
—Mr. W. H. Keating and family are at home from their summer travels.  
—Mr. C. E. Pollard, who has been quite ill for several days, is now better.  
—The Simpson family, who have been off summering, are now at home.  
—Mrs. E. W. Warren, who has been quite ill for some days, is now improving.  
—Mr. Dudley, Sr., is having a veranda addition to his house on Forest street.  
—Miss Sadie Thompson is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Harry Hartwell, at Cabot, Vt.  
—Rev. Mr. Havens will occupy the pulpit at the Congregational church next Sunday.  
—Councilman Hutchinson and family have returned from an absence of several weeks.  
—Mr. J. H. Wentworth and family have returned from their summer stay at Falmouth.  
—Mrs. W. Hyde, who was the guest of Mrs. Durgin, at Duxbury, for a few days, is at home again.  
—Miss Jennie Young of New York has been the guest of Miss Florence Skelton for the past week.  
—Mrs. W. F. Fewkes and child, who have been spending the summer at Ipswich, her former home, have returned.  
—Mr. Geo. A. Mills has moved from the corner of Boylston and Winchester streets, and has taken a tenement on Clarke street.  
—One of the chimneys on the house of Alderman White was struck during the shower on Wednesday, causing but little damage.  
—Mr. J. E. Storey will remove from Columbus street and take the house on Terrace avenue, formerly occupied by Mr. Richardson.  
—The junior division of the Boys Club met in the vestry of St. Paul's church on Wednesday and elected officers for the coming year.  
—Mr. Samuel Tuckerman of Boston has leased the house on Hartford street, formerly occupied by Mr. C. Peter Clark, and now occupies.  
—A chimney on the house of Mr. J. H. Susmann was struck by lightning and badly shattered, during the shower on Wednesday afternoon.  
—Mr. Fred Masters and bride have their home with his brother, Mr. C. B. Masters, and not his father, as stated in the GRAPHIC of last week.  
—The finishing work on Hillside Park is now in progress, and the lamp post at corner is to be removed fifteen feet, so as to allow the corner to be rounded.  
—At the Methodist church next Sunday the pastor will occupy the pulpit. Subject, in the morning, "To Seem, or To Be," in the evening, "Parables of the Tares."  
—Several of the young men of the village play on the team that manipulates the new Push Ball which has caused no end of wonder and merriment. A game will be played tomorrow after the football practice on the N. A. A. grounds on Cedar street.  
—Mr. George Conley of Winchester street, was badly shaken up, and an ankle sprained, by a fall from a tree on which he was at work removing a large limb, the limb falling and breaking the ladder on which he was standing, throwing him to the ground.  
—Several Italian laborers at work on the street being built through the Clark land were arrested on Tuesday for creating a disturbance, and having weapons in their possession, and in court on Wednesday two of them were sentenced to imprisonment for 20 days, and others were fined different amounts. The cause of the disturbance was the failure of the contractor to pay them their wages.

#### NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Bishop's mills shut down last Saturday for an indefinite period.  
—Miss Gertrude Dennis has returned after a vacation at Dennis Island.  
—Over \$1,000 was realized by the Labor Day picnic of St. John's parish.  
—Mr. D. F. Warren, expressman, lost a valuable horse, returning from Boston single Monday evening.  
—Mr. Wm. Ayles, driver of Chemical B is recovering from a severe attack of malaria, confining him to his home here over a week.  
—Extensive alterations are going on at the laboratory of Billings & Lapp. The works are being enlarged and about 20 hands more given employment than now.  
—The patrons of the Natick & Newton Street railway, do not take very kindly to the running time system of the two divisions, as a long delay is necessitated for them at the terminus of both routes, when taking a trip through.  
—School opened Monday with the same corps of teachers as formerly. It is understood that a very loud protest will soon be made by parents of the children attending the Williams school and an effort will be made to secure the services of a master here.  
—"Yes, I had a long conversation with Miss Beauchamp of Boston, but I don't think she understood half I said."  
—"What makes you think that?"  
—"Well, she didn't have her spectacles on."—Judge.

#### FATALITY OF A NAME

A STRANGE INCIDENT WHICH SUGGESTS MENTAL TELEPATHY.

It is Vouched For by a Member of Chicago's Health Department—A "Pipe Story" Which Has Broken Down the Rules and Made Its Way Into Print.

Writers of fiction have no monopoly of the strange or supernatural. There are things taking place every day in Chicago which are as devoid of rational explanation as the mysterious coinings of the novelist's brain. Newspaper men hear of them, but in the rush for cold, hard facts, demanded both by city editors and newspaper readers, the "pipe stories," as queer and unexplainable happenings are called in journalistic circles, are at a discount. Were it not for this the following incident, which can be verified by the word of several reputable men, would long ago have received the space and attention it merits instead of being consigned to the wastebasket as the "pipe dream" of an opium devotee.

One cold wintry night not so long ago Dr. L. T. Potter, now connected with the Chicago health department, and a number of his companions were sitting in the office of the Oakland hotel, at Drexel and Oakwood boulevards, when a stranger of diffident manner entered. His clothes and jewelry marked him a person of means, but he seemed downhearted and worried, and when he asked permission of the clerk to sit in the office awhile, Dr. Potter and his companions at once sized him up as a man who had been out on a spree, was without ready cash to pay for a bed, and took this means of getting refuge from the winter's blasts. The stranger, who was young and intelligent, grew uncomfortable under the ill disguised scrutiny of the crowd and finally said:

"Gentlemen, I would like to explain my presence here and why I sit up in the office in preference to taking a bed. In the first place, let me assure you it is not a matter of money," drawing out a goodly sized roll of bills. "For some years my father, who is a resident of New York, has had trouble with his family and has been a wanderer. He was at one time worth considerable money, but this has been lost, and a number of letters which I have of late received from him show me he is despondent. This afternoon I got a letter from him, dated in Detroit, saying he would arrive in Chicago tonight, take a room at this hotel and end his life by turning on the gas. He added that in the event of the gas failing, he had a pistol with him, with which he would send a bullet through his brain. Father had no idea I would get this letter to-day, as I have been out of town, and it was only an unexpected case of sickness in my family which brought me back. I am sitting up here to intercept him when he comes in and prevent the suicide which he contemplates. Fortunately I have means enough for both and can relieve his anxiety in this respect."

Dr. Potter and his friends were at once interested. They congratulated the stranger on his good luck in having received his father's letter in time and tendered their services in any way in which they might be desired. Two or three times an effort was made to find out the man's name, but he parried the questions on the ground that, as his father's plans would be frustrated, he did not care to have his identity disclosed. "You may, however, call me Melchior, as it is awkward to address a man without a name, and Melchior is as good as anything, barring the right one." The evening sped along, and about midnight the stranger, being assured no more trains would arrive before morning, took his departure, saying he thought his father must have been detained or perhaps have happily changed his mind.

The occurrence was so much out of the ordinary that Dr. Potter and his friends sat up for an hour or more talking it over. At 1 o'clock they went to bed, and a few minutes later the night clerk retired, leaving an assistant who had not heard the story in charge of the office. About 1.30 in came an old gentleman with a traveling bag in hand, who registered as "George C. Melchior," and was assigned to a room. In the morning the chambermaid reported a strong smell of gas on that floor. The door of the newcomer's room was broken in, and he was found dead, with a pistol in his right hand and a bullet wound in his head. He had turned on the gas and then shot himself. By this time everybody in the house had heard the story and of the young man's visit the night before, and all were positive that the old gentleman who had killed himself was his father. The afternoon papers had a report of the suicide and before night the young man was back at the house asking to see the body.

"I don't understand how father could have registered as 'Melchior,' for it is not his name, and I only used it last night to conceal our own," the stranger said. "It must have been a case of mental telepathy."

On reaching the room where the body lay a much more peculiar episode occurred. The moment the young man saw the face of the corpse he said: "That's not father. I never saw this man before. He is not known to me." Nor was he. A search of the dead man's effects brought out papers proving his identity as George C. Melchior and giving reasons for suicide somewhat similar to those advanced by the young stranger when he was telling his story the night before. Within a week Dr. Potter heard from the young man, who said his father was alive and well, having recovered from his despondency and abandoned his intention of taking his life, but the mystery of how a man giving the same name should appear at the hotel selected by the stranger's father, on the same night, and commit suicide in the same manner outlined by him has never been explained.—Chicago

#### A DAPPER LITTLE WARRIOR.

Brave but Dumpy Old Lord Saltoun, the Hero of Hougmont.

In those long gone by days brave old Lord Saltoun, the hero of Hougmont, resided during the fishing season in the mansion house of Auchincroath, on the high ground at the mouth of the Glen of Rothes. One morning, some five and forty years ago, my father drove to breakfast with the old lord, and took me with him. Not caring to send the horses to the stable, he left me outside in the dogcart when he entered the house. As I waited, rather sulky—for I was very hungry—there came out on to the doorsteps a very queer looking old person, short of figure, round as a ball, his head sunk between very high and rounded shoulders, and with short, stumpy legs. He was curiously attired in a whole colored suit of gray, a droll shaped jacket, the great collar of which reached far up the back of his head, surmounted by a pair of voluminous breeches, which suddenly tightened at the knee. I imagined him to be the butler in morning dishabille, and when he accosted me good naturedly, asking to whom the dogcart and myself belonged, I answered him somewhat shortly, and then ingeniously suggested that he would be doing me a kindly act if he would go and fetch me out a hunk of bread and meat, for I was enduring tortures of hunger.

Then he swore, and that with vigor and fluency, that it was a shame that I should have been left outside, called a groom and bade me alight and come in doors with him. I demurred—I had got the paternal injunction to remain with the horse and cart. "I am master here!" exclaimed the old person impetuously, and with further strong language he expressed his intention of rating my father roundly for not having brought me inside along with himself. Then a question occurred to me, and I ventured to ask, "Are you Lord Saltoun?" "Of course I am," replied the old gentleman. "Who the devil else should I be?" Well, I did not like to avow what I felt, but in truth I was hugely disappointed in him, for I had just been reading Siborne's "Waterloo," and to think that this dumpy old fellow in the duffel jacket that came up over his ears was the valiant hero who had held Hougmont through cannon fire and musketry fire, and hand to hand bayonet fighting on the day of Waterloo, while the post he was defending was ablaze, and who had actually killed Frenchmen with his own good sword, was a severe disenchantment.—Nineteenth Century.

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## Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium.

The unknown donors of the Young Men's Christian Association gymnasium, had they been present at the opening, Monday evening, must have felt more than gratified at the appreciation shown by the twenty-five young men, who under the direction of Dr. Howard, enjoyed the new apparatus with a heartiness that was a pleasure to witness.

After the class had "toed the line," Dr. Howard put them through a dumb-bell drill, followed by various exercises on the horizontal and parallel bars, chest weights, flying and travelling rings and other of the necessary practices for class work. When the instruction was finished the boys had a half hour to themselves, which they devoted to hitting the bag, throwing the medicine ball, scaling the rings and climbing rope and numerous other sports which offered unlimited fun and amusement. At the close of the evening, those members who cared to, and most of them did, enjoyed a good shower bath, and the late stayers were given some pointers in tumbling, by Dr. Howard.

In the course of the evening there was a large number of visitors, who completely filled the gallery and the portion of the floor roped off for their use, the visitors being mostly friends of the class members, directors, and others interested in the association work, with here and there a sprinkling of business men and prospective members who had either been unable to receive suits in time or were waiting to see "how the first night went."

The gym was formerly used by Miss Caroline Wilson, who conducted classes for two seasons and afterwards sold the appointments to "the unknown donors" who in turn benevolently turned it over to the Y. M. C. A. All summer carpenters and plumbers have been hard at work making the necessary changes and improvements and have completed one of the best appointed gymnasiums of any branch of the association of its size in the country. With the exception of a running track it is said to compare very favorably with that of the Boston Association. In the many equipments are found numberless opportunities for physical development, the chest weights and inter-coastal machine for the chest, the wrist machine for the wrist and forearm, the lifting machine, a leaping board of the most approved pattern, and a number of others, besides those already mentioned, necessary for a first-class gymnasium. The hall is made much larger by the removal of the old Army lockers, which were arranged along the wall, and two sections of the stage, while powerful incandescent lights take the place of gas fixtures. Dr. Howard's office and examining room is at the end of the hall; directly behind it the room containing the men's lockers, 100 in number, and adjoining it that of the boys, which contains thirty. In the bath rooms are found the necessary furnishings with two of the most expensive shower baths, with five sponge baths of the same order.

Dr. Howard, the class instructor, studied with Professor Roberts, the most widely known of gymnastic directors in the United States, and showed by his manner of conducting things Monday evening, that he was fully qualified to teach. Dr. Howard has also taken a full course at the Springfield Training school for instructors and had charge of the Brockton Y. M. C. A. gymnasium for some time.

Monday night the class numbered 25, but is soon expected to reach 100.

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## And She Believed Him.

(From the Indianapolis Journal.)

She—I don't see why you will keep on paying 15 cents for cigars, when you can get ones just as pretty for five.

He—I know they are just as pretty, but those five cent ones are cigars that have soured. You wouldn't buy soured fruit just because it was cheaper, would you?

## The Secret.

(From the Detroit Tribune.)

"I know the secret of your birth," he hissed.

It was terrible. "You were born in a flat," he hissed on, "in distinct violation of the rules. I shall tell the janitor. Ha, ha!"

She was a poor, lone girl. What could she do? She could faint, which she did.

## In Memory of James Cutler of Newton Centre.

At a meeting of the Prohibitionists of the city of Newton held at the City Hall, Sept. 10, 1895, a committee was appointed to give expression to the sentiments of all, in view of the decease of Brother Cutler.

The resolutions here follow: The Prohibitionists of Newton desire to put upon record their high estimation of the character and services of their associate, James Cutler, who entered into rest on the third day of July, 1895, after a life of seventy-five years spent in unwearying labors for God and humanity.

Mr. Cutler was an ardent champion of human liberty, in days when the name "abolitionist" was a term of reproach instead of honor. Hardened in that good fight, he was the more ready and dauntless in the contest, which aims to free man from the shackles of strong drink. Probably the earliest of our number to foresee the hopelessness of waging the political part of the struggle in any party divided against itself on this issue, he broke loose from the old ties, and therefor for a long time standing alone in his ward of the city, consistently promoted the cause of the Prohibition party by voice, by vote, and by gifts, according to his ability. We bear grateful testimony to the hearty zeal with which he threw himself into the work and to the large amount of time he cheerfully gave to it.

While radical and unsparring in denouncing evil, he was sweet-tempered and courteous in personal dealing with his fellow citizens.

We gladly believe that others will arise to do the work left undone, but we profoundly regret the loss of so steadfast and faithful a laborer. To the surviving members of his family circle, we extend our sincere sympathy in the bereavement which has befallen them.

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## Mr. Cutler's School.

Mr. Cutler's preparatory school for boys and girls has entered upon its ninth year, with encouraging prospects, and the success this school has met with from the beginning shows that there was a demand for such excellent training as is given here. Parents who for any reason do not desire to send their children to the public schools now have one of the best private schools to be found anywhere right in their own city.

Scholars are admitted now from their earliest school age, thereby making it possible to begin their preparatory work at once, and this is of great advantage in making their preparation for college thorough, and if desirable they can save a year or more, over the time required in the public schools. The school is very pleasantly located in Brackett's new block, having the entire south side, with a separate room for girls.

Mr. Cutler's high standing in the educational world is shown by the fact that his certificate of preparation is accepted at colleges, admitting candidates on certificate.

Candidates for Harvard may select their advanced subjects from French, German and mathematics, if for any reason these are preferred to Latin and Greek. This year a departure has been made allowing scholars desiring to join a class in one study only, as French, German or other subject, to be admitted at one-half the full rate.

Since the school was started there have been 53 graduates, who were sent to the different colleges as follows: Harvard University, 32; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 5; Amherst College, 3; Dartmouth, 2; Tufts College, 1; Radcliffe, 1; Smith College, 2; New England Conservatory of Music, 1; Harvard Medical School, 1. Five of the graduates went into business after leaving school.

Mr. Cutler has two assistants, Miss Lila A. Richardson and Miss Mary Cutler.

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## The Neighbors Know.

Hobson: "I understand your daughter is taking great pains with her singing."

The Poor Father: "Taking is not the word; 'giving' is more like it."

## A Trying Profession.

Spatts: "You get paid very well for designing these striking art posters, don't you?"

Kuller Skeem: "O, yes; but it hardly pays in the long run."

"No?" "I have to eat expensive suppers to induce the proper grade of nightmares to furnish the ideas, and then there are doctor's bills, too."

## BICYCLE GUMS.

Another Physical Peculiarity Said to Be Due to the Wheel.

Bicycle riding and poor teeth are about the last two subjects one would place together, but that an overfondness for indulgence in exercise upon the wheel is developing a diseased condition of the gums and teeth can be testified to by many unfortunate victims and their dentists.

It is caused by the extra effort necessitated in ascending hills or in running races, and the short, quick breaths of cold air that strike the overheated gums through the open mouth develop a congestion of those parts. The face swells as with an ordinary toothache, pus forms around the teeth and loosens them, and many cases leads to their extraction later, and the pain is equal to having all one's teeth ulcerating at once.

A prominent dentist stated, when interviewed upon the subject, that he had had several cases of that kind. "It comes," he said, "from an abnormal current of air, from fast riding, striking the gums, and if the popularity of the bicycle continues it will develop a new feature in dentistry. At a private meeting of several dentists the other evening we found upon comparing notes that these cases are increasing. The only preventive is a difficult one to follow, and that is always ride with the mouth closed. The same effect, however, is caused by an unnatural draft of air, as, for instance, sitting in front of an electric machine for a long period. I have had several cases of that nature from hotel stewards and their assistants, whose offices are generally situated in the basement, where a change of air can be brought about by artificial means."—New York Herald.

## Blisters.

A surgeon in the English army has found that the best way to treat blisters on the feet is to insert the point of a needle or other puncturing instrument in the sound skin about one-eighth of an inch beyond the edge of the blister. Then pass the needle horizontally into the blister, and if raised the liquid will run out beneath. When the raised outer skin only is pricked, it is apt to be sore and troublesome. After the liquid has disappeared flatten the blister and cover it with absorbent cotton or something equally soft. Persons who have to be on their feet much of the time or those obliged to walk a great deal will find it a relief to change the shoes every other day and the stockings each morning.

## LOVE AND THE ECHO.

"Love me, love me," still he cried,  
"Ever love, forever!"  
Cupid, laughing, turned aside.  
Echo from the hill replied:  
"Never, never, never."

"Love me, for I love but thee,  
Ever, love, forever."  
Heart to heart for love and me."  
Echo sighed, "It may not be,  
Never, never, never."

"Love me now in life and death,  
Ever, love, forever."  
Sadly, in an underbreath,  
Sobbing Echo answered,  
"Never, never, never."

"Love me, I shall worthy prove,  
Ever, love, forever."  
"Till a fairer face shall move!"  
Mocking Echo answers, "Love?"  
Never, never, never."

"Love me," still the lover sings,  
"Ever, love, forever."  
Cupid plumes for flight his wings  
As the last faint echo rings—  
"Never, never, never."

—Clara B. St. George in Chicago Inter Ocean.

## THE ELDER'S PRAYER.

It Was Out of the Regular Order, but Proved Efficacious.

The Rev. H. D. Fisher could not resist the temptation to tell a story on a brother minister:

"It was Presiding Elder Still of the Methodist church. The good old man is dead now, and it can't do any harm to tell this story of him.

"The early traveling of the elder in Kansas was not easy. He had a mule on which he used to ride, and this mule was not always obedient. One day the elder and his mule encountered a swollen stream. Along the edge of the stream the elder found a tree that overhung the stream, and from which he believed he could swing to the other side. But the mule couldn't swing. He could swim, however, which the elder couldn't.

"All the extra clothing and the Bible were made into a bundle and tied on the mule's back and the animal led to the water. He swam safely across and began eating grass on the other side.

"The elder looked at the swinging limb, and dropping to his knees, prayed fervently that he might make no mistake in getting across. Then he swung out and landed safely.

"He knelt and thanked the Lord.

"But there was a new obstacle. The mule was having a good time in the grass and refused to be caught again. Several well directed efforts flew wide of the mark, and the good elder was in desperation. He must keep his appointment and he couldn't walk it. There was but one thing for the elder to do, and the elder did it. Down in the damp grass he dropped on his knees and prayed the Lord to help him catch the mule.

"This is the only instance I ever heard of in which a man called on the Lord to help him catch a mule, and to his dying day the elder firmly believed the Lord did it, though it took them both some time."—Topeka Journal.

## Homers and Carrier Pigeons.

The homer and the carrier are both brilliant fliers, but the homer is the speedier bird and better fitted for long distances. The homer has the widest spread wings of all pigeons, and can sail for an enormous distance through midair. It is also considerably lighter than the carrier and is possessed of more phenomenal powers of endurance, having been known to fly 800 miles without alighting. On a clear day, with a good sky and favorable wind, 400 miles is an admirable record, although 500 miles a day is the goal of every pigeon flier's ambition. A bird that can perform this remarkable feat is worth at least \$100, and may be valued at \$500 if it is capable of a better record. The bird's gameness, stamina and speed reach their highest point of excellence at 3 and 4 years of age, which is the natural prime of life for a flier. After they have passed their prime they deteriorate in a scarcely noticeable degree and at 10 or 12 years of age are still good for the shorter distances.—Chicago Journal.

## The Avalanche.

The guide gave the word to leave the channel of ice and take to the rocks on the side, for a snowball or two had rolled down from above, and he was afraid more might follow. Scarcely had we got out of our trough and into the crags when down came an avalanche with a vengeance, and we were within 20 feet of a tremendous discharge of thousands of tons of snow and ice, which swept down the track that we had just ascended. We were perfectly safe, but somehow the half hiss, half roar, remained in my ears for some time, and for many nights afterward, when indigestible suppers or bad Swiss beer produced evil dreams, the avalanche was sure to figure in them.—Blackwood's Magazine.

## His Idea of Martyrdom.

Child of 8 (returning from school)—Mamma, we have been reading of such dreadful times. I should not liked to have lived then, and I am sure you would not, for people were tied to a leg of mutton and after gunpowder had been put round they were all blown up. Mamma—Are you sure it was not a stake they were tied to?

Child—Oh, yes, mamma, it was a stake! I knew it was meat of some kind.—Exchange.

Women will find their place, and it will neither be that in which they have been held nor that to which some of them aspire. Nature's old law will not be repealed, and no change of dynasty will be effected.—T. H. Huxley.

Malevolence is misery. It is the mind of Satan, the great enemy, an outcast from all joy and the opponent of all goodness and happiness.—J. Hamilton.

The most barbarous, rude and unlearned times have been most subject to such lies, seditions and chicanery.—Chas. D. Adams.



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## News for the Giants.

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Mr. Cumso: "Going insane! Who says so?"  
Mrs. Cumso: "Well, every day I read in the papers that one of them was off his base."

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## STEALING THE CHARLES.

HOD DEDHAM TOOK ADVANTAGE OF NEWTON.

What was an exciting topic for Newton people some 200 years ago is revived by a writer in the Boston Globe who has ferried out some of Newton's early history. The Globe writer says that the attempt to "steal the river Charles" in reality, dates back not simply 100 years, but rather nearly 300, or, to be positively exact, to the 29th day of January, 1689, when, according to the town records of Dedham, it was ordered that a ditch should be dug at common charge through the upper Charles meadow into East brook, that it may both be a partition fence in the same, and also may form a suitable course unto a water mill, that it shall be found fitting to set a mill upon in the opinion of a workman to be employed for that purpose."

The same authority (Worthington's history of Dedham) calls attention to the generally accepted theory that the diversion of the head waters of the Charles river was nothing other than a natural curiosity, and then goes on to tell just how that diversion was produced.

According to this, it appears that Abraham Shaw had been encouraged to build a mill in the first year of the settlement of Dedham, and a committee was appointed to select a site. Shaw soon after died, but the committee, notwithstanding, suggested the measure of forming the new stream, which suggestion was embodied in the town warrant, as above cited.

Very soon after that the water mill was built, the ditch having been dug and a dam created for the water mill.

Further investigation of the town records shows that John Dwight and Rev. John Allen, the first owners of the mill, conveyed it to Nathaniel Whiting, and that he and his heirs possessed the mill privilege for nearly 200 years; in fact, until purchased early in the present century by Benjamin Bussey.

Litigation and ill-feeling followed from the very beginning in the train of this ancient theft, the people of Newton, mill-holders there in particular, protesting most loudly against such an audacious piece of piracy.

Committee after committee, it appears, was appointed to bring the matter to the attention of the governor and council, but nearly 200 years elapsed before anything like a satisfactory or final settlement was reached.

That settlement provided that "one-third of the stream of Charles river should forever flow through this artificial ditch, which had, from time to time, been widened and deepened, by day and by night in the Neponset river."

Even as far back as 1767 it appears by the town records of the town of Newton that the differences between the mill-holders there and "the thieves of Dedham" had come to a head, for in that year it was voted, "that the town choose Abraham Fuller, Capt. Joshua Fuller and Ebenezer Parker a committee to appear before the governor and council, and prevent any more of the water of Charles river being turned out of its natural course."

Then, again, in 1807, the town of Newton chose another committee to the same purpose, so that it would appear as though the Dedham pirates had more of what in modern political parlance would be termed "a pull" with the governor and council than the mill-holders of Newton.

This committee, it appears, was appointed by vote of the town in consequence of a letter received from Gen. Simon Eliot, directed to the town, in protest against the continued invasion of its natural rights in the Charles river, and the continued attempts to turn the waters of that stream out of its natural course.

This letter from Gen. Eliot is preserved in the town records of Newton. It says that "for a number of years, and under various pretensions, a number of persons in the town of Dedham, under the name of 'meadow holders,' have endeavored to divert the waters of the Charles river out of its natural course, through a creek called Mother brook, into Neponset river, which they have already nearly effected. Some years since these 'meadow holders' obtained an act from the legislature for the purpose of more effectually obtaining (what they called) a redress of grievances, to drain their meadows."

"The proprietors of mills on Charles river are greatly alarmed for the safety of their property, having already suffered incalculable loss in the diversion of the waters from the river, and he asks the town to adopt measures which may tend to give aid and support in defending their property against further encroachments."

## MILLIONS IN MANY SHARES.

ABOUT 50 CLAIMANTS FOR THE ESTATE OF THE LATE JOHN W. TRULL—PROVISIONS OF THE WILL.

Important facts in relation to the celebrated Trull will case have been made public. It now appears highly probable that the 50 or more heirs will soon receive \$40,000 each, dividing an estate which the latest information obtainable makes about \$2,000,000.

The will of John W. Trull, who died in 1867, gives to his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge, widow, of Newton, all his furniture, silver plate, etc., and also for her use and improvement during her life, his house on Beacon street, Boston. To his step-son, J. T. Heard, the sum of \$100,000. To John Theodore Heard, son of said J. T. Heard, \$50,000.

All the rest of his estate he leaves in trust to J. T. Heard and E. D. Sohler, the income thereof to be paid over to his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge; at her death to her children, the children of any child to take said child's share.

If no issue survives, the trust at her decease is to be divided into two equal parts, one of which is to go to John T. Heard and his heirs in equal portions, to be held by himself and his heirs in fee forever, and the other portion to be divided among his heirs-at-law. He recommends his trustees to invest the said trust money in real estate in the city of Boston, as the best and safest in investment.

The estate at that time, 28 years ago, amounted to nearly \$800,000. John W. Trull came to Boston from Vermont over 50 years ago, and established the big distillery at Medford, now conducted by George S. C. Lawrence. Dying in 1867, this remarkable case has occupied public attention many times since.

Soon after the death of the testator an attempt was made to set aside the will, but this has never been done, and thus the will stands as originally made. The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge, without issue, a few weeks ago, has since called forth all these 50 claimants, and more are daily looked for. Some are located at Lowell, Brockton, Methuen and Merrimac. One has just arrived in the east from Kansas, after an absence of 30 years.

From data discovered recently John W. Trull paid a tax in the city of Boston in 1852 of \$1100, and was then rated at nearly \$1,000,000, and at that time was regarded as one of the richest men in the state.

The present estate, in addition to valuable real estate on Beacon street, Boston, consists largely of bank and railroad stocks and U. S. bonds.

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## A Peculiar Fact.

"Bliggins is still complaining about the business depression." "Hasn't he got work yet?" "No. Can't find anything that suits him."

"That's the way it goes. The man that keeps talking about hard times is invariably looking for a soft thing."

## Gentle Exercise.

"Fenil worth's joined the Golf Club, I hear. Didn't know he was an enthusiast?"

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## TRAINED CATS.

The Feats a Showman in England Has Taught Them to Do.

A showman in England, Clarke by name, has succeeded in training a large number of cats to perform remarkable tricks. One of these is to walk over a long line of living rats, mice and canaries, stepping very carefully between the fluttering little bodies of birds and mice and harming none of them. Another cat climbs by a rope to the roof, seizes the handle of a parachute and descends by it to the ground from a considerable height.

Mr. Clarke repeats what is well known—that the cat is the most difficult of animals to train to the performance of tricks. He has trained bears, lions, leopards, tigers and other wild animals and finds them teachable and submissive when compared with cats. The cat indeed can never be so far conquered that her performances may be depended on. Mr. Clarke's entertainment includes only 30 trained cats, but he has to take with him 60, in order that he may have substitutes for those that will not perform.

He calls the cat a "hopeless bundle of sensibilities." Strike her once, though only by accident, and she will never perform again. Kindness is not only politic, but absolutely necessary. Some of his cats it took him four years of ceaseless effort to train.

Mr. Clarke's cats are extremely fond of him. When he enters his "cat stable," the meowing is prodigious, and he is instantly buried in a moving mantle of cats.

The difficulty in the cat's training does not lie in the animal's intelligence, but in her disposition. She is as clever in her tricks, if she likes to do them, as a dog, but she does not wish to subordinate her will to that of any living creature. She does what she wants to do and will perform, if she performs at all, only to please herself.

Those that have seen cats engaged in boxing matches will not be surprised to learn that Mr. Clarke has succeeded in training two cats to box very scientifically.

The animals that walk over the chains of rats, mice and canaries without touching them are only six in number. Any of the others would help themselves to these appetizing creatures without compunctions. These six were brought up from their earliest infancy in cages with rats, mice and birds and live with them constantly.—Youth's Companion.

## Held by a Hair.

In a gathering of officers after the Franco-Prussian war a French officer claimed that the French nation is the most artistic nation on the earth, and that her artisans can make a thing of beauty out of anything, however ordinary or crude.

The great Prussian general, Von Manteuffel, who was present, plucked a hair from his shaggy beard, remarking, "Let them make something beautiful out of that."

The French officer sent the hair to a friend in Paris, telling him the circumstances and urging that, as the Prussians had defeated the French in the late war, they should not be permitted to defeat them in the claim to artistic supremacy. Giving the hair to a capable artisan, with proper instructions, the result was a beautiful scarfpin representing a Prussian eagle, artistically wrought in gold, standing on a rock, and depending from his beak was a single hair, at the ends of which were two beautiful gold medallions, on one of which was inscribed "Alsace" and on the other "Lorraine."

Thus the artistic scarfpin aptly described the political situation: Prussia, as the eagle, with its conquered provinces dependent, but held by a hair, for the temper of the people of Alsace and Lorraine was bitter toward the Germans, and the tie which held them was

## CHINESE SNAKE STONE.

Curious Oriental Product Which Is Said to Cure Poisonous Bites.

Ben R. Spradley, a attaché of the St. Louis sanitarium, at 1635 South Grand avenue, has in his possession one of the most curious and what he asserts to be one of the most useful and valuable of articles. It is what is known as a Chinese snake stone, and there is said to be but one other in the country. Indeed the one in Mr. Spradley's possession is but half a one, the original having been cut in two by Mr. Spradley and half of it given to a friend. In appearance the stone looks like a small piece of oblong shaped canal coal and is about one-eighth of an inch in thickness, three-eighths of an inch wide and half an inch long. It is as light in weight as a piece of cork, possesses a polished surface and can be easily cut with a knife. It is not a stone, in the proper sense of the word, but is a manufactured article and is of a porous texture.

To cure snake bites or poisonous wounds of a similar nature with the "stone" the wound must first be scarified. Then the stone is applied to the wound. Each morning and evening it is taken off and put into a glass of lukewarm water to remain a few moments until it discharges the poison it has absorbed. Then, after the wound has been washed in a strong solution of salt water and again scarified, the stone, which in the meantime has been rubbed in warm ashes until dry, is again applied. If this treatment is kept up for nine days and the patient abstains during that time from spirituous liquors a cure is assured.

"I secured the stone," said Mr. Spradley, "from my father more than 30 years ago. He got it from James J. Parker, the man who made it. From 1874 to 1877 I was with the party which was putting through the Texas Pacific railroad, and during that time cured several of the party who were bitten by rattlers and other poisonous snakes. I have frequently loaned the stone to friends, and I cut the original in two, giving half of it to a particular friend of mine. I have not used the stone for some time, but am ready to give a test of its merits at any time."

"It is, you see, not properly a stone, but is a manufactured substance of a porous nature. The theory possessed by many that so called 'madstones' are found in the stomachs of animals is all nonsense. They are all manufactured in a manner similar to this, and it is simply their 'drawing' powers and their porosity and consequent capacity for absorption that renders them valuable." —St. Louis Republic.

## It Didn't Prove Suitable.

"We can let you have the bridal chamber," ventured the genial hotel clerk as he rubbed his hands and looked confidentially across the register at the youngish couple.

"That is very kind of you," replied the young man as he drew a nervous flourish beneath the abbreviation "and wife" and laid down the pen. "But we contemplate remaining ten days or so, and you might need the room."

"You shall not be disturbed, I assure you," continued the clerk, "and the apartment is a lovely one."

"Airy?" asked the young man. "As to that," and a gleam of intense pride surmounted the clerk's face, "I will say that the room contains seven windows, all opening upon tiny verandas."

The young couple looked at each other. Then the young woman spoke.

"I don't think we shall care for that room. You see, our three children will be here with their nurse in the morning. They can all climb like goats, and I'm sure they would be falling off those verandas inside of 15 minutes."

"Front," murmured the clerk in a voice that betrayed deep emotion, "show this gentleman and this lady up to the sky floor and have the maid put the nursery in order." —Truth.

## Glad She Lives in America.

"I'm glad I live in America," said a pretty young woman, talking to a Philadelphia Inquirer reporter, "because I am never afraid to travel by myself. Last year I was in London and went around with a friend who is married, and we were spoken to in an insulting manner every time we went out. Paris was still worse. People speak of the French politeness, but it is only a veneer. The men would get in front of us on every street corner and smirk and ogle and chatter like monkeys. I'm glad I didn't understand anything they said. There are no men like the American men, and I never was so fully able to appreciate it as I am, now I have seen those of other nations in their own lands. Besides, the girls are treated better here than anywhere else on earth, and I don't want to cross the ocean any more."

## A Humble Archbishop.

Willegis, a famous archbishop of Mentz, rose to that elevated position from the very lowest ranks. He was the son of a poor carter, but was never ashamed of his parentage. He not only caused the following inscription to be placed conspicuously in his palace, "Willegis, remember thy parentage," but had the wheels of a cart hung up in the cathedral of Mentz. From that time to this the arms of the see have borne the figure of a cart wheel.—Brooklyn Eagle.


## When Gas Was New.

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## THE REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

The Republican caucuses are called for  
next Tuesday evening, and the question  
that interests most people is whether  
they will be controlled by the A. P. A.  
or by the Senator Hoar kind of Republi-  
cans.

Judging from the fact that the attend-  
ance is usually less than a dozen in each  
ward it would be comparatively easy for  
the A. P. A. to capture the Newton caucuses,  
as they have done those of other cities.  
The A. P. A. men are organized, and have  
an object to gain, while other Republicans are  
apt to look upon caucuses as a mere formality  
and are unwilling to take the trouble to at-  
tend.

The great majority of Newton Republi-  
cans have little sympathy with apaisism  
and think there are questions of far  
greater importance than the proscription  
of Catholics, but they hardly ever attend  
caucuses, and content themselves with  
voting on election day.

There are many very serious questions  
to be decided this fall, foremost of which  
is the renomination of Governor Green-  
halge, who is disliked by the A. P. A.  
men because his views are not as narrow  
as theirs. They would put up Congress-  
man Morse of Canton, as he seems to be  
just the kind of a man they admire, but  
Mr. Morse lacks the courage to run this  
year, and is saving himself for next year.  
The A. P. A. men are said to have fallen  
back on ex-Gov. Haile of Springfield,  
and hope to nominate him. Gov. Green-  
halge has other enemies, also, and his  
independence and courage in deciding  
important questions as he thought just  
and the best interests of the state  
demanded, have alienated many of the  
baser sort of politicians, whose schemes  
he has foiled, and unless the better sort  
of Republicans rally to his support, he  
will lose the renomination which he has  
so handsomely earned.

Another important question is the ex-  
travagance that has prevailed in county  
affairs, and whether anything can be  
done to bring about a more business-  
like policy. No one denies that some-  
thing ought to be done to change the ir-  
responsible system which now prevails,  
and which results in piling up county  
expenses in a way that is becoming a  
serious burden to the taxpayers.

Perhaps the most important question  
is that concerning the next legislature.  
For several years this body has been go-  
ing from bad to worse, until the scandals  
that were circulated concerning the last  
one were so incredible that honest  
people refused to believe them. Accord-  
ing to the stories in circulation even  
New York or Connecticut would have  
been shocked had such things occurred  
in their state capitals, and the people in  
those states have become so used to  
corruption, that it would take a good  
deal to shock them. Probably the  
stories in circulation are greatly exagger-  
ated, but the fact that such stories are  
circulated at all shows that a falling off  
there has been in the character of our  
legislators. The remedy is in choosing  
better men, of course, and for the  
honest voters to take a more active part  
in politics. That is a rather hopeless  
remedy, however, and the next best  
thing would be to have a strong and re-  
liable opposition party. In all states  
where one party has an overwhelming  
majority, the leaders are apt to grow  
careless, and little attention is paid to  
appearances. In our own state the  
Democratic members have been few and  
they have been no better than their op-  
ponents, being generally ready to join in  
any scheme that promised personal  
profit. Both parties ought to wake up  
this fall, and put their best men forward,  
to see if the state could not be freed  
from the scandals that have surrounded  
recent legislatures. Newton has sent  
good men, but owing to our system of  
frequent changes, they have not had a  
very great influence.

The success of the electric railroad at  
Nantasket has led to a demand for its in-  
troduction in other places, and many  
other railroads are said to be consider-  
ing the change from steam to electricity  
on short lines, such as the Newton Cir-  
cuit road. Doing away with the noise,  
smoke, and cinders of the steam en-  
gines on this line would be of great ben-  
efit to Newton, and ex-Mayor Hyde,  
to whose untiring efforts Newton owes  
the Circuit road, has been active in  
forcing the matter upon the attention of President Bliss

for several years. He thinks that  
such an improvement is certain to come,  
and the sooner the better for Newton.  
It would enable the Boston & Albany  
to give more frequent trains at less cost  
than at present, the transit to and from  
Boston would be just as rapid, and it is  
possible that the reduction in the cost  
might lead to cheaper fares. The Bos-  
ton & Albany has such a profitable pat-  
ronage that it has made them very con-  
servative and reluctant to make any ex-  
periments, but the running of trains on  
shorter routes by electricity is no longer  
an experiment, and Newton wants to be  
up-to-date in all things, and especially in  
its railroad facilities.

It is said that next Monday evening  
the Highway committee will report the  
order for the widening of Park and Tre-  
mont streets. We do not understand  
that there is any intention of doing any  
work immediately, but it is of great im-  
portance to get the lines settled, and the  
street laid out, before any more build-  
ings are put up on the street. On Tre-  
mont street there is only one house, not  
an expensive one, and a stable, that will  
be affected, and from the railroad cross-  
ing to Park street, and on Park to Tre-  
mont, the property owners would like to  
have the uncertainty ended, and to know  
just what will be done with these es-  
tates. It is said that Boston will widen  
its part of Centre street, as soon as New-  
ton has taken action, and that this is  
the reason that the street is left in such  
a frightful condition. The order next  
Monday night will appoint a hearing two  
weeks later, when all who desire will  
have a chance to be heard.

The fact that the Fifth Regiment have  
selected Newton as the place for their  
annual field day, Oct. 10th, ought to  
arouse a good deal of interest among the  
citizens, as it is quite an honor for New-  
ton. Other places where the exercises  
have been held in previous years usually  
made a regular holiday of the event, and  
gave the regiment an enthusiastic wel-  
come. Citizens along the line of march  
can hardly do less than make a display  
of bunting, and it is hoped that for the  
credit of the city, the recognition of the  
field day by the citizens will be general.

The Probationists met on Wednesday  
in Boston and nominated the following  
state ticket:  
For Governor, Dea. Edward Kendall of  
Cambridge.  
For Lieutenant Governor, Edward  
Rogers of Lee.  
For Secretary of State, Willard O. Wiley  
of Beverly.  
For Treasurer, William M. Purington  
of Williamstown.  
For Attorney-General, Frank Forbush  
of Natick.  
For Auditor, Herman T. Regnall of  
Attleboro.

Mr. E. O. Burdon of Newton was a  
member of the committee on credentials,  
and Mr. W. H. Partridge was one of the  
prominent party leaders who occupied  
the platform.

The Democrats have called ward caucuses  
for next Thursday evening, for the  
election of delegates to the various con-  
ventions, and their representative con-  
vention has been called for Oct. 3, at  
City Hall. There is not much hope of  
success in Newton, in a state election,  
but according to the opponents of biennial  
elections, the experience gained by  
going through the forms every  
year is valuable for educational pur-  
poses. Possibly if the Democrats should  
put up first-class candidates for repre-  
sentatives, they might stand a good show  
of election, provided the Republican con-  
vention should be captured by the A. P.  
A. men.

The abolition of grade crossings has  
been so long talked about that one  
finds many people who are still sceptical,  
and it is difficult to convince them that  
any plan has been formed for the work,  
or that any of the details are settled,  
even though work has begun on Wash-  
ington street.

The question of the re-election of  
Senator Niles is causing some agitation,  
but thus far there is no organized effort  
to oppose him. It is said that Waltham  
is pushing a candidate against him,  
and also that Richard Barrett of Concord  
would not refuse, if Watertown is not  
unanimous.

**Sheriff Cushing.**  
It is rumored that there is a movement  
in county politics for a nomination to  
defeat Sheriff Cushing.  
If years of faithful, efficient and hon-  
orable service in this important office, both  
by himself and a corps of experienced  
and trained deputies, is to be counted to  
any man's credit, Sheriff Cushing has  
well earned a renomination and election  
at the hands of the men of Middlesex.  
This office, which is in no sense political  
in the nature of its duties, has been ad-  
ministered by Sheriff Cushing as it ought  
to be on strictly non-political lines, and  
is too important in its close relation to  
the interests of every citizen to be put  
in the arena of politics, and sought for  
by men who perhaps have no qualifica-  
tion for it.

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At a meeting of the class of '06, held  
Wednesday, the following officers were  
elected: President, H. W. Burdon; Vice-  
President, Miss Alice Bond; Secretary,  
Miss Stone; Treasurer, H. H. Sawyer;  
Assistant Treasurer, Miss Macomber.

The annual tennis tournament was be-  
gun on Tuesday on the fine courts of the  
Neighborhood Club, West Newton. Lee  
is picked as winner, although he will have  
no easy time.

The officers of the Tennis Association  
are as follows: Pres., J. Howard Lee;  
Vice-Pres., A. E. Whitmore; Sec. and  
Treas., H. W. Burdon.

The new Commercial Course which in-  
cludes stenography and typewriting,  
seems to be very popular and many stu-  
dents are taking advantage of it.

The football team is progressing slow-  
ly, as Capt. Lee has many new men. A  
number of last year's team have not  
turned out as yet. The game with Brook-  
line High will be played on Sept. 27th.

## Lassell Notes.

Lassell Seminary opened with every place  
full. There are now registered from states  
west of the Mississippi, 18 pupils, and from  
states east of it 109, of whom 51 are from  
New England. There are two from  
Canada, and one from England. The place in  
the mathematical department was last year  
filled by Mrs. Olin Curtis, returns this  
year. Miss Julia Evans, Ph. D., who be-  
comes preceptress, was five years precep-  
tress at Drew, and is a graduate of Boston  
University. The department of election  
will be in charge of Mrs. Weyant (formerly  
Miss T. Lillian Howe), who has had five  
years' experience at Newberry and three  
at Wilbraham. There are no other changes  
in the faculty.

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Jeffrey Richardson of Boston and Caroline  
Louise Davis.

COONEY-ALLEN—At West Newton, Sept. 12,  
Hon. P. H. Cooney of Natick and Sarah Caro-  
line Allen.

TOUNS-ROOSA—At Boston, Sept. 11, Henry  
Milton Towns and Birdie Sarah Catherine  
Augustus Roosa of West Newton.

**DIED.**  
MITCHELL—At Norantum, Sept. 18, Mrs. J. J.  
of Edward and Bridget Mitchell, 4 mos.

WHITE—At Auburndale, Sept. 12, Horace  
Homer White, aged 59 yrs.

TETREAU—At West Newton, Sept. 13, John  
Tetreau, 1 yr. 10 mos.

MALONEY—At Auburndale, Sept. 11, John J.  
Maloney, 1 yr. 10 mos.

RAY—At Newton Upper Falls, Sept. 13, Charlotte  
M. Ray, 64 yrs.

STATE ELECTION,  
NOV. 5, 1895.City of Newton,  
Registration of Women,  
1895.Registration of Women,  
1895.

Notice is hereby given that the Registrars  
of Voters commencing Monday, September 30, 1895,  
will hold sessions for the registration of voters,  
including women entitled to vote for school com-  
mittees, and to correct and revise the Ward Lists  
at the City Clerk's office, City Hall, daily as fol-  
lows, viz: 3:30 A. M. to 12 o'clock M.; 2 o'clock  
to 5 P. M.; except on Wednesday, October 16 as  
hereinafter stated and except Saturdays, when the  
hours are from 8:30 o'clock A. M. to 12  
o'clock M.; also from 7:30 to 9 o'clock in the evening  
upon the following dates and at the places  
herein named:

Newton Lower Falls—Freeman Hall, Monday,  
September 30.

Norantum—Athenaeum, Tuesday, October 1.

Newton Upper Falls—Old Prospect School-  
house, Wednesday, October 2.

Newton—Armory Hall, Saturday, October 5.

City Hall, Monday, October 7.

Auburndale—Auburn Hall, Tuesday, October 8.

Newtonville—Room 8, Central Block, Wednes-  
day, October 9.

Newton Highlands—Stevens Hall, Saturday  
October 12.

Newton Centre—Associates' Hall, Pleasant  
street, Tuesday, October 15, from 7:30 to 9:30  
o'clock.

Also at City Hall on Wednesday, October 16,  
from 12 o'clock M. to 10 o'clock P. M., "which is  
the last session preceding the Election, Novem-  
ber 5, and thereafter the Registrars will not, be-  
fore the Election, add any names to the Register,  
except the names of voters examined as to their  
qualifications, since the preceding thirtieth day  
of April."

Every woman whose name is not on the Voting  
List as posted, must in order to be registered  
as a voter, appear in person before the Registrars  
of Voters on either of the days above mentioned  
to be qualified as required by law.

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final papers when they register.

GEORGE E. BRIDGES,  
GEORGE H. BOURNE,  
AMOS L. HALE,  
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REPUBLICAN  
CAUCUSES.

Pursuant to the call of the Republican State  
Committee, the Republicans of Newton are re-  
quested to meet in caucuses on

**Tuesday, September 24, 1895,**  
**at 7.30 P. M.**

At their respective wards, as follows:

Ward 1, Armory Hall.  
Ward 2, Room 8, Central Block.  
Ward 3, City Hall.  
Ward 4, Auburn Hall.  
Ward 5, Stevens Hall.  
Ward 6, Associates' Hall.  
Ward 7, Eliot Lower Hall.

For the purpose of choosing delegates to the  
Republican State, Councilor, County, District  
Attorney and Senatorial Convention of 1895.  
The respective wards are entitled to delegates to  
the above conventions as follows: Ward 1, three  
ward 2, four; ward 3, three; ward 4, three; ward  
5, four; ward 6, four; ward 7, four.

Also for the purpose of choosing delegates to  
the Republican

**Representative Convention**

for the 16th Middlesex District, which is hereby  
to meet at

City Hall, West Newton, on Tuesday Oct.  
1st, 1895, at 8 o'clock, P. M.

for the choice of two candidates for the General  
Court, for which convention the respective wards  
are entitled to delegates as follows: Ward 1  
eleven; ward 2, eighteen; ward 3, twelve; ward 4,  
eleven; ward 5, fourteen; ward 6, sixteen; ward  
7, thirteen.

These caucuses are called and are to be held in  
accordance with Chapter 489 of the Acts of 1895,  
and are to be called to order as follows:

Ward 1, by Reuben Forknall.  
Ward 2, by Edward Sands.  
Ward 3, by George Staples.  
Ward 4, by Joseph Huettis.  
Ward 5, by A. H. Putney.  
Ward 6, by F. H. Hovey.  
Ward 7, by A. H. Wood.

By order of the Republican City Committee of  
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## NEWTONVILLE.

—Pianos rented and tuned. Farley, Newton.

—Posters are displayed for Democratic Caucuses, to be held Thursday, 26th.

—Miss Minnie Hunt of Grove Hill avenue is the guest of friends in Brooklyn, New York.

—Mrs. Osborne of New York, formerly of this place, is the guest of Mrs. Charles Dennison.

—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Coolidge of Grove Hill avenue have returned from Hingham, where they passed several pleasant weeks.

—Mr. Henry F. Ross has already started on the frame work of the Newton Associates block on Walnut street.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thompson of Otis street are at home having passed the summer at Laconia, New Hampshire.

—Miss Eleanor Carter of Highland avenue has returned from her trip abroad, and has entered Smith College, Northampton.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stickney of Washington street will pass several weeks at the mountains.

—Mr. and Mrs. Van Tassel of Newtonville avenue are at home having passed several weeks at Point Allerton.

—Mr. D. F. Lord has removed from Austin street to the house corner of Judkins and Crafts street.

—Rev. Mr. Hecht will occupy one of the houses on Highland Park.

—Mr. Adlan of Lowell street has removed to the Clafin house, corner of Walnut and Turner street.

—Mr. Allen Gordon has removed into the house on Crescent street.

—Mrs. M. A. B. Allen of Washington Terrace has returned from her summer vacation.

—Miss Nellie Hanson, after her visit to friends here, returned last week to Chicago.

—Mr. Charles Beals and family of Washington street are home from the beach, where they passed the summer.

—Mr. Tyler C. Holmes was one of the fortunate young men of this place to enter Harvard this fall.

—Mrs. E. M. Thayer and son of Walnut street have returned from Hingham where they passed the summer months.

—Mrs. W. P. Mullen and daughter of St. Louis are the guests of friends here.

—The Misses Chase and West have returned to Smith's College, Northampton.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Soule have returned from a week's stay in Portland, Me.

—Mr. H. H. Carter and family of Highland avenue are at home after a two months absence.

—Mr. Walter H. Rollins has entered on his first year at Andover Theological Seminary.

—Miss M. E. Woodman returns to her patrons the last of September.

—Dr. Woodman has returned from his recent trip to the shore much improved in health.

—Mr. Lawrence Soule of Walker street has returned from a four weeks stay at Yarmouth, Me.

—A brick addition is being added to the Tewksbury house on Walnut street, which will contain two stories with offices above.

—Mr. and Mrs. Macomber, formerly of Clarendon street, have moved to their new home at Newton Centre.

—Mr. Ed. Dexter and family have returned from several weeks stay at Stoughton.

—Mr. John Cotton and family have moved into their new home on Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton of Walnut street have returned from a month's stay at North Falmouth.

—Mrs. J. F. Curtis and Miss Curtis are in New York for several weeks' stay.

—Mrs. Fayette Shaw of Harvard street has returned from Medway, Wisconsin.

—The play-off between Brookline High and Newton High in football, which the senior inter-scholastic league will take place, Sept. 27.

—Mr. Wm. F. Hollings and Mr. Roland M. King arrived home from Europe on the new Leyland line steamer, Victorian, last Wednesday.

—The Magese Boston heater is sold only by Walcott & Pratt.

—The contract for ex-Gov. Claflin's block on Washington street has been given to Mr. H. H. Hunt. The foundation is about completed, and work of erection will begin immediately.

—There are letters remaining in the postoffice for Frank Billing, Miss Helen Childs, J. S. Crawford, Frank Curtis, Miss Annie Louie, Miss Mary McEllan, Rev. David T. Magill, Della J. O'Sullivan, J. B. Sander, and Mrs. J. George Smith.

—A house that has been rented for \$400 a year and is one of those on Washington street that must be moved, has been offered for sale for \$120, and the highest bid for the lot so far is \$75, yet it placed on a good lot the house will rent for \$100 again.

—At the Central Congregational church services next Sunday, Miss Julia M. Paige, soprano, Miss Josephine P. Martin, contralto, with the regular male quartet of the church, will render the following musical selections:

**MORNING.**  
Mixed quartet, "O how amiable are thy dwellings."  
Barnaby  
Male quartet, "Shall we meet beyond the river."  
Soprano solo.

**EVENING.**  
Male quartet, "Softly now the light of day."  
Chwaal  
Mixed quartet, "When I can read my title clear."  
Male quartet, Response.

—The most brilliant affair of the opening season in society in this place was a reception tendered by Mrs. William Paul to Mrs. George Harold Cobhill of New Jersey last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Paul was ably assisted in receiving by Mrs. George Crocker and Mrs. Charles Curtis. The parlors and halls were beautifully decorated in violet and gold. More than three hundred ladies were present during the afternoon. A description of the beautiful gowns and charming wearers would be impossible. The popularity of Mrs. Paul, not only in Newtonville, but in Boston and various other places, was very evident by the number of friends seen upon this occasion.

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commenced its march down the broad aisle, the organist rendering the bridal chorus from "Lohengrin" during the processional. The bridesmaids, Miss Edith Swift and Miss Mabelle Westwood, sisters of the bride and groom, respectively, were preceded by the ushers, Messrs. George M. Bridges, Newtonville; Donnell Churchill, Boston; Marlborough Churchill, Andover; Wm. Ripley, Hingham; H. E. Eames, South Framingham, and Charles Swift, Provincetown. The maid of honor, Miss Betty L. Rich of Provincetown, walked alone. Then came the bride, leaning upon the arm of her brother, Mr. George Swift, who gave her away. The groom and his best man, Mr. Clarence E. Paine of Springfield, met the bride at the altar. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Churchill, D. D., of Andover, uncle of the bride, assisted by Rev. F. E. Hamilton, pastor of the Newtonville Methodist church. The bride was crowned in ivory white duchesse satin en train. She wore the customary long tulle veil and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas. The maid of honor wore a costume of cream lace, with chiffon trimmings, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaids were dressed in pink silk, with trimmings of chiffon, lace and ribbons. Miss Westwood carrying Catherine Marshall rose and Miss Swift, daybreak pinks. A reception was held after the ceremony at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Jennie E. Cook, on Crafts street, Newtonville. The house was decorated with the national, potted plants and cut flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Westwood were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Mary E. Swift and Mrs. Jennie E. Cooke. The receiving party seated under a large floral wedding bell, and the bride and groom were showered with congratulations and good wishes. At the close of the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Westwood departed on a wedding tour among the hills of New Hampshire.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Miller pianos, Farley, Newton.

—Mrs. J. L. Damon is at the mountains where she will remain for some weeks.

—Mrs. William Pettigrew and family of Auburn street are at home having passed the summer at North Sandwich, New Hampshire.

—Mrs. Gray of Putnam street will pass some weeks at the mountains where she is now stopping.

—The cards are out for the marriage of Miss Charlotte Harper and Mr. Adelbert A. Foster, Wednesday evening, Oct. 2.

—Mr. C. W. Leatherbee and family are at home after a long stay at Falmouth.

—Mr. Hanscom of Boston has leased a house on Elliot avenue.

—Mr. E. T. Wiswall is moving the Cook house from Eddy street to the corner of Parson and Wiswall streets.

—Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Jaynes will sail for home, September 26th.

—Mr. James Trefrey is passing a month in Nova Scotia.

—Posters are displayed for Democratic Caucuses, to be held Thursday, 26th.

—Mrs. H. H. Freeman and family of Mt. Vernon street have returned from Maine where they passed several months.

—Mr. T. S. Woods and family of Sylvan Terrace are expected home from Lisbon, Me., this week, where they passed the summer months.

—Mr. E. E. Leland and family are moving into their new house, corner of Hillside avenue and Otis street.

—Mr. A. G. Hosmer is occupying his new residence on Hillside avenue.

—Mr. C. L. Hosmer and family have returned from Nantasket.

—Major Lawrence of Otis street sails for Europe next Wednesday. He expects to be gone some months.

—Mr. Pierpont Wise and family are at home after a three months absence.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ayer are at home having passed the summer at Magnolia.

—Miss Kate Carroll is at home after an absence of some months.

—Mr. E. A. Hunting and family of Chestnut street are passing several weeks at Northampton.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bush are at home, having passed the warm season at Moosehead Lake, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Anders are in Europe where they expect to pass some months.

—The Misses Putnam and Elkins were among the young ladies to enter Wellesley College this fall.

—Harvey Kimball, a young civil engineer, is at the General Hospital with a cut head and a broken collarbone. Kimball was riding on a bicycle through Saugus last Friday, and a car ran into him and threw him from his wheel.

—The pulpit of the Unitarian church will be occupied next Sunday by Rev. Geo. Hatch, secretary of the American Unitarian Association. On Sunday the 29th inst., Rev. Brooke Herford, formerly of Arlington Street Church, now of England, will preach.

—Enis, the 6-year-old daughter of Thos. Enis of West Newton, was run over in front of her home on Watertown street, Sunday afternoon by a carriage containing four persons. The child failed to notice the approach of the carriage, and ran directly in front of the horse. It is thought her injuries are not serious.

—John Corey of Wayland was slightly injured in a runaway accident at West Newton Sunday evening. He was driving through Washington street, when his horse became frightened at an electric car. The carriage was dashed against an electric light pole and demolished. Mr. Corey was thrown out and received a number of bad cuts and bruises about the head and face, but escaped more serious injury.

—There are letters remaining in the post office for Mrs. Patrick Burke, Rev. Chas. Clark, Mrs. D. Casey, Mrs. Della Curley, Mr. J. Carter, Miss Minnie Conway, Mrs. H. A. Fiske, Mr. C. Harper (2), Mrs. C. E. Howard, Miss Julia Hession, Lexington Gas Works, Mrs. H. Johnson, Mrs. Dun Lucia, Miss Della Manning, Miller & Derby, Miss L. V. Perkins, 14 Dundee street, Mr. Geo. H. Stoddard, Miss Magie Stacy, Mrs. Sylvester, Mrs. S. E. Thorpe, Lizzie Turner.

—Cashier E. P. Hatch of the First National Bank attended the meeting of the suburban bank cashiers, Wednesday evening. The association voted not to cash checks on other banks for individuals not depositors, except with proper identification, and for a graduated charge. This rule ought to add largely to the list of depositors.

—A tract of land containing about 25,000 square feet, situated on Berkley street between the Newton boulevard, belonging to the West Newton land syndicate, has been sold to Mr. Remick of Kidder, Peabody & Co., who will erect a residence on the land for his own occupancy. The consideration was about 25 cents per square foot.

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## AUBURNDALE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.

—John Frost is reported ill with malaria.

—Buy your toilet soaps at Thorne's.

—Mr. F. J. Hazen has leased his house on McKay avenue.

—Prof. Talbot is soon to remove to Balcarres road, West Newton.

—Councilman Knapp's family have returned from their summer outing.

—Rev. F. N. Peloubet and family have returned from their summer home at Waterville, N. H.

—Mr. Frank Otterson is recovering from his recent injuries.

—Frank Hoyt of Freeman street is reported ill with malaria.

—Mrs. Mowry of Melrose avenue has removed to Brookline.

—The grain shed of Mr. George Johnson is undergoing repairs.

—Louis Mann is numbered among the students at Bryant & Stratton's.

—Miss Marion Chapin, one of Miss Plummer's most promising pupils, desires a position as church organist.

—Contractor Mague has commenced work on the new boulevard near Islington park.

—Mr. W. A. Crossley has returned from a visit to his sister at her home in Providence, R.

—Mrs. E. E. Whitney, who has been visiting Mrs. G. Fred Pond, has returned to her home in Muncie, Indiana.

—Malaria is still prevalent in this place. Four cases are reported in Mr. Bernard's family on Melrose street.

—Walter Lincoln of Auburndale avenue has taken a position in Brookline, and will soon enter upon his duties there.

—Mr. J. Irving Adams is making a brief visit to his parents at their home on Grove street.

—There are letters in the postoffice for Chas. E. Adams, Mrs. E. P. Cutler, Miss May Leston care of Dr. Steadman, Mrs. Hattie Putnam, Mrs. G. D. Stridger, Miss Sadie Tucker and Edith Wild.

—Mr. George M. Fiske and family will return soon to their home on Walcott street.

—Mr. E. W. Burdett and family have gone to their winter home at the Charlesgate, Boston.

—Dr. Wright and son have left for Greenville, Me.

—Fred P. Barnes and family have removed to West Newton.

—Miss Martin, who has been summering in New Brunswick, has returned to her duties at the postoffice.

—Mr. John W. Bird has recently purchased one of the Norwell cottages at Waveland, Nantasket.

—The Riverside school will re-open Oct. 3d, with a full corps of teachers, and as usual with very encouraging prospects. This school has earned a high reputation for careful and thorough work, and its pupils come from all sections.

—Rev. T. W. Bishop will preach at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

—Mr. Edmund W. Tyler, a former resident of Auburndale, will soon occupy his cottage on Hancock street, with his sister, Miss E. D. Tyler. He will have a hearty welcome from all his Auburndale friends.

—Prof. and Mrs. H. W. Parker have a daughter, born on Sept. 14th.

—Miss Hattie Cutler has returned from Spain.

—Dr. De Forrest and family have taken the house next the missionary home, lately occupied by Dr. Berry.

—The funeral service of Mr. Horace N. White was on Saturday at his late residence. Rev. Messrs. Cutler and Matteson officiated. The interment was at Forest Hill.

—Mrs. Thomas Hill has returned from Convent, N. H. much improved in health.

—Posters are displayed for Democratic Caucuses, to be held Thursday, 26th.

—The autumnal meeting of the Suffolk West Conference of Churches is to be with the Congregational church in Auburndale, on the afternoon and evening of Oct. 10. For reasons of local convenience the day is changed from Wednesday to Thursday. A large and interesting meeting is anticipated.

—The returning pupils to Lasell kept the baggage and express men very busy handling their baggage. Monday the arrivals commenced increasing in number, daily, and by Thursday Auburndale's population was increased by over three hundred. The baggage men opened most auspiciously yesterday morning.

—A memorial service for Mrs. Susan Y. Steele, wife of Rev. Dr. G. M. Steele of this place, whose recent sudden death was so deeply lamented, will be held at the Methodist church, of which she was a honored member, next Sunday evening at 7.30. Rev. Dr. H. E. H. of Natick, Mrs. Rev. Dr. F. N. Peloubet of Auburndale, Mrs. Rev. C. H. Hanford of Allston and Rev. T. W. Bishop will speak, her religious missionary and philanthropic work.

—The funeral of the late Horace Homer White, for more than 30 years cashier of the Broadway National Bank of Boston, took place, Saturday afternoon, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Bunker, on Auburn street, Auburndale. The funeral services were of the simplest nature, and consisted of scripture reading, prayer and brief remarks by Rev. Calvin Cutler, pastor emeritus of the Auburndale Congregational church and Rev. John Matteson of the Episcopal church. The interment, which was private, was at Forest Hill.

Newton Lodge, 92, I. O. O. F.

All members going to Waltham, Friday the 27th, are requested to meet in the lodge room, Thursday evening, the 26th.

## WABAN.

—Miss Bertha Childs is at Winchester, N. H., where she has secured a position as teacher.

—Mr. Chas. Comer, president of Comer's Commercial College, has rented a house, W. E. Armstrong's house on Chestnut street.

—Congratulations are in order for Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bacon of Chestnut street. It is a girl.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Julia M. Coe of Longwood to Mr. Wm. M. Buffum of Waban.

—The Waban school opened on Wednesday of this week.

—One of my children had a very bad discharge from the nose. Physicians prescribed without benefit. After using Ely's Cream Balm a short time the disease was cured.—O. A. Carey, Corning, N. Y.

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NOV. 5, 1895.

City of Newton.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

1895.

Notice is hereby given that the Registrars of Voters commencing Monday, September 30, 1895, will hold sessions for the registration of voters and to correct and revise the Ward Lists at the City Clerk's office, City Hall, daily as follows, viz:

3:30 A. M. to 12 o'clock M., 2 o'clock M. to 5 P. M.; except on Wednesday, October 16 as hereinafter stated and except Saturdays, when the hours are from 8:30 o'clock A. M. to 12 o'clock M.; also from 7:30 to 9 o'clock in the evening upon the following dates and at the places herein named:

Newton Lower Falls—Freeman Hall, Monday, September 30.

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## HOW EASILY THINGS GO WRONG!

Alas! how easily things go wrong.  
A sigh too much or a kiss too long,  
And there follows a mist and a weeping rain,  
And life is never the same again.  
Alas! how hardly things go right!  
'Tis hard to watch on a summer's night,  
For the sigh will come, and the kiss will stay,  
And the summer's night is a winter's day!  
And yet how easily things go right,  
If the sigh and the kiss of a winter's night  
Come deep from the soul in the stronger ray  
That is born in the light of the winter's day!  
And things can never go badly wrong  
If the heart be true, and the love be strong,  
For the mist, if it comes, and the weeping rain  
Will be changed by the love into sunshine again.  
—George MacDonald.

## A FAIR DIVISION.

The poverty in the village was very general, and but for Pietro Gozzoli the keeper of the wineshop might have lowered his blinds and pulled his door to.

The fishing along the Naples coast had been bad for many weeks, and in Basilio every man is a fisherman and every woman a fisherman's wife or daughter. And so the poverty was great, and Pietro was the only man who still smoked a daily handful of cigarettes and still sat regularly in the wineshop.

He had been to England, and had come back with a fortune, and was independent of the vagaries of the fish and the weather. "Ah," sighed the villagers, as they placed their hands in their empty pockets, "what a lucky man is Pietro, and what a rich place that England must be!"

One day in the early spring, the news went about that this man of fortune was grown insatiable, and was going away again to make more music for the foreigners and to get yet more francesconi. And every fisherman was sick with envy that he, too, could not leave the barren harbor and go to the northern El Dorado. But Pietro Gozzoli alone was possessed of the great sum that was wanted to pay the steamboat people and to hire the organ.

And who would he take with him? Which of the dark eyed village beauties would he invite to be his companion and to share his gains? Many were the long looks thrown to him and many the prayers whispered to the saints by pretty ones whose fancy saw countless bright ribbons and sashes, the possession of her who should be chosen.

A day or two more, and it was known that Tessa Francia was the happy girl destined to be raised to opulence; and, early one morning, she and Pietro left Basilio for the long, dusty walk to Naples. And the next day they were standing on the deck of the steamer, watching the shore line die out as the sea grew deeper and bluer.

During the voyage he taught her the words of English he remembered and talked to her about the life in London; how that they were to work very hard and spend very little, that they might have much to take home with them. And she, still glad that she had found grace in his sight, smiled agreement to everything.

A week after they had walked out of Basilio, beautiful even in its poverty, they were citizens of the Italian colony in London, making music about the streets during the days and passing the nights in a garret in an evil smelling court at the back of Saffron Hill.

Pietro was the musician, and hour after hour for many hours he toiled at the organ handle, now with left hand, and now with right. Tessa carried the tray for the offerings of the passersby, and as she was pretty and begged with a charming smile, her apron pockets were usually heavy with copper coin when the evening and the time to return home came.

Then Pietro relieved her of the weight, and counted out the pence and took them to some shop near by and changed them for silver. When there was enough of silver, it was parted with for gold, and something was added to the little pile of savings.

These savings were kept in a tin box, hidden under a loose board in the corner of the room. Not a very good treasure chest, but Pietro did not understand the English banking system, and there was no one in Basilio rich enough to send money to for safe keeping.

Three years went by, and the yellow hoard was so increased that Tessa's eyes shone and her fancy wandered as Pietro counted and recounted it in the evenings.

"Shall we not go home to Basilio now?" she said as once she watched him. "Have we not enough?"

"No, not quite enough. We will stay this summer and go back when the foggy days come."

(Of course this was spoken in musical Italian, but I have brought it into English for the benefit of the one or two readers who otherwise might not understand.)

Tessa pouted a little at the reply, and consoled herself by going out to talk to Filippo.

Filippo was a native of Sardinia who had lately come to London to enter the profession of ice cream merchant. But although it was early summer, the days were rather cold than hot, and there was no demand for ices, either lemon or raspberry, and Filippo was drifting toward bankruptcy.

His rent was owing and his barrow mortgaged, and he wept as he told Tessa of another unsuccessful day. And she wept too. An exceedingly foolish thing, for she had known Filippo only a month, and Pietro, whom she had known for years, had told her that he did not like the young adventurer in ice cream and that she must not talk with him.

Nevertheless she wept, and told him how sorry she was. And as the pity grew in her, she thought how much better looking he was than Pietro, and how tired she was of the streets, and how she longed to see the blue sea and sky again. Would Pietro give her a share of the savings and let her go?

But no, that would not be enough for

two. Oh, why was not Pietro Filippo and Filippo Pietro?

How handsome he was, and he was but a boy, and Pietro was more than 40. She spoke her thoughts, and hope came to Filippo's face, and he took her hand and began a long, eager whispering. And at that moment Pietro chanced to pass, and saw them, and hesitated for a step or two, and scowled and went on. They were earnest in their whisperings and did not see his coming and his going.

"Tomorrow then, Tessa," said Filippo, "and together to my people. I will not know, and cannot follow."

"Yes, tomorrow." And she returned his kiss and went back to Pietro. The next morning Pietro was unwell. Nothing serious, he said; his head ached a little, and he was tired and needed a rest. He would stay at home until the evening, and would then go to Cazzio's and play dominoes as usual, and be all right again in the morning. So that day Tessa pushed the organ about the streets without assistance.

But during part of the morning she rested and talked to Filippo, who seemed to have forsaken his barrow to follow her. Their talk resulted in some agreement, for, as he left her he said:

"Then, Tessa, I will be waiting at 8 with the tickets. And remember we must catch the boat, and you must manage that Pietro is out," and she replied:

"I will get it; he will be at Cazzio's at 8."

At dark she returned to the court, and as she passed, Filippo nodded to her from the shadow of the corner and showed two tickets.

She climbed up the rickety staircase to the room she had shared with Pietro. He was not there; it must be done at once.

She crossed to the corner near the window. The board moved easily, and she felt for the tin box, and found it, and carried it to the lamp.

The box was very light, and fear came to her as she opened it and saw that it was empty save for a fold of dirty paper.

With trembling fingers she undid the paper, and held it to the lamp and read the words:

"Goodby, Tessa. I have decided not to wait for the fog. We will share now and part. You shall have Filippo and I the money that was here. Goodby," written in Pietro's rude scrawl.

Filippo waited long at the corner, and at last crossed to the house, and learning from the woman standing at the door that Pietro was out, walked up the stairway and into the room.

Then he, too, read the paper, and his sorrow was joined to Tessa's.—Edgar S. Turner in Sketch.

## The Durham Rites.

The "Durham Rites" speak of a great store of ancient manuscripts possessed by the house to help the monks in their study. The "Rites" go on to say how the store included "the old ancient written doctors of the church, as other profane authors, with divers other holie men's works, so that every one dyd studye what Doctor pleased them best, havinge the Librairie at all times to go and studye in, besydes their carrells."

From the same "Rites" we learn that in the dormitory each monk had a little chamber to himself with a window, or a bit of a window, and in the window a desk for books, so that he could study, if he pleased, in the hours spent in the dormitory. Special directions were given that the monks and novices were not to be disturbed in their "carrells" while they were studying.

In their care for education in days when all training for the young, save in arms and field sports, was comparatively little thought of, the record of the monastic orders is an honorable one. Besides maintaining a "song school," the more important houses regularly trained their novices in other learning; and again, to use the words of the "Durham Rites," "yf the Maister dyd see that any of them were apte to learnyng and dyd applye his booke, and had a pregnant wyt withall, then the Maister dyd let the Prior have intelligence. Then straightway after, he was sent to Oxford to school." Other people, too, sent their sons to the monks for education, which was sometimes given freely and sometimes paid for.

Mention has been made of Oxford. The "Durham College," besides the pupils sent up from the abbey, admitted regular students. A purely monastic college as early as A. D. 1283 was founded in Oxford for 13 monks of St. Peter's abbey, Gloucester. This, before the end of the thirteenth century, developed into a great Benedictine house of learning, and a long list of abbots united together to maintain this Benedictine college at Oxford, which flourished until the reformation.—Quarterly Review.

## A Fire Curtain of Water.

An effective device for the protection of buildings from fires in adjacent structures has been successfully tested in Boston. The idea worked out in the apparatus is to maintain a sheet of water between the fire and the building to be protected. This is done by placing on every open side of the building near the top a line of perforated piping for carrying water. The complete apparatus consists of a five inch standpipe, extending over the upper story. From it runs another pipe around the sides and front, from 2 1/2 to 4 inches in diameter. On the front are three revolving sprinklers, and one is placed at each exposed side, in the center. The arms are of bronze metal, slightly curved. At each end of the arms is a ball nozzle, such as is used by fire departments on regular hose lines. At the base of the standpipe is a Siamese connection for four lines of three inch hose. At the Boston test a fire department steamer furnished the power, and for about 15 minutes poured through the sprinkler a delivery of 1,000 gallons a minute, completely drenching the walls and keeping a continuous sheet of water from top to bottom.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

## SKEPTIC BROWN.

Brown was the sworn foe of superstition. He derided all the good old saws and he jeered at omens. It was his one hobby, this warfare with the believers in signs and portents. There was no mercy in him for the credulous. He laughed at broken mirrors. Nothing pleased him better than to see the new moon over his left shoulder. The ever recurring terror of 13 at a table he had reduced to a mathematical problem to be solved through the law of chances and the statistics of life insurance actuaries. Three mornings in the week he put on his right shoe first. On the other four he left preceded the right. Last, but not least, he had taken lodgings in a rather poor neighborhood because it abounded in white cats, and the likelihood of one of the unlucky animals crossing his path was thereby greatly increased.

These things did not add to his popularity. Most men shunned him. So did some women, though their aversion to him interested no one but themselves, for Brown would have been a misogynist had he been able to cherish two great hatreds simultaneously. Sometimes, though, he longed for more friends of his own sex. He had but two or three, and he could not preach to them always. There was a point at which they rebelled, and when that point was reached Brown felt alone in the world.

So at last, through growing dread of isolation, he came to spare these two or three, which proves that the man of one idea may learn in the school of bitter experience. Even when, out of the goodness of their hearts, they now and then cleared the lists for him to break a lance in his favorite cause he declined the challenge—sometimes. And then the others began to fear for his health.

"Your trouble, Brown, is that you lack an actual test," observed Ferguson, on one of these occasions of combat declined. "You're theoretical. You've never faced a ghost nor heard a supernatural voice. Now, if you only could have something uncanny happen."

Ferguson paused, partly because he thought he had said enough in the way of encouragement, but more because his cigar demanded attention. Randall nodded approval of the curtailed sentiment. The three had been dining together and were lingering over the coffee.

"No, I've escaped so far," Brown answered slowly. "At least—well, nothing has occurred to shake my common sense. Truth is, though, I may be able to tell you something convincing in a few days. Last night I had what some fools would call a warning."

"What?" cried Randall.

"You had?" asked Ferguson incredulously.

"I had a dream," Brown continued. "I don't know where the scene was laid or whether there was any. But I held a bit of newspaper with edges jagged, as if it had been torn from the sheet. On one side was what seemed to be an account of a curious accident to a sound steamer which was run into by a schooner whose jib boom pierced the wall of a stateroom and impaled the occupant. The name of the steamer was missing."

"And the passenger's name?" queried Randall.

"It was not to be found in the part of the article before me."

"Sure it was a sound steamer?" Ferguson asked.

"Yes. Something in the context made that clear. There was no hint of the date. I turned the paper over, but found on the other side nothing but part of a table of stock quotations. Great Eastern common had closed at 20—that's all I remember to have noticed."

"I'd like to see the stuff there even in a dream," said Ferguson feelingly. He ventured into Wall street occasionally.

"No doubt you would," said Randall. "But, Brown, where's the warning? Are you going down east?"

"Yes, I'm due in Boston next Saturday morning. And I always go by boat."

"This time too?"

"Certainly," responded Brown with dignity. "This time of all times."

"Well, I'd stay ashore if I were you," Randall counseled. "As a boy I had my fill of trying to see if things were loaded."

The skeptic smiled a superior smile. "I have already arranged for the trip," he announced. "This morning I reserved a stateroom on the Yankee-land—she's next Friday's boat. In short, I propose to prove so conclusively—"

"Precisely," said Ferguson, rising from the table in some haste. "We realize what you expect to prove, old man. I know you think it too good a chance to be wasted; but, just as a friend of yours, I'd get an injunction to keep you from going—I would indeed—if it were not for that quotation of Great Eastern at 20. In view of such a freak of midnight fantasy I guess I won't have you dragged into court. But you ought to be fined for dreaming such a thing and unduly exciting the imagination of the honest poor, who've put good money into that stock."

Brown's friends bade him good night at the door of the restaurant.

"Well, what do you think?" said Ferguson to Randall, as they walked up town together.

"Oh, if anybody else had had such a dream I'd be worried," said Randall to Ferguson. "But Brown won't be even frightened—more's the pity. By the way, he has loaned me one of his scientific antighost books. I'm going to read it as a personal favor to him—that is, if I can. It's heavy enough, though, to make me doubt my ability to finish it."

And he took a tighter grip on the neatly wrapped volume he had tucked under one arm.

To Randall, at work in his office the following Saturday afternoon, appeared Ferguson, who thrust a newspaper into his hand and dropped into a chair beside his desk.

"Look at the stock table!" gasped the caller.

"Um! What of it?" Randall asked.

"Great Eastern at 20."

"So I observe. Insiders have boosted the stuff, that's all."

"Now read an item on the first page third column, about half way down."

"All right," said the other. "Hello!" he added a moment later, "that's odd, isn't it?"

"Odd! It's terrible. Poor Brown!"

"It's odd, very odd," Randall repeated. "So the Yankee-land was in collision, eh? Nothing said about anybody being injured."

"They've suppressed that part," groaned Ferguson. "Poor old Brown! Can't he do something? Let's go to his rooms. They may have had word there."

"Very well," said Randall, rising and putting on his hat. "I'm with you. But if I were you I wouldn't give up hope by any manner of means."

As the pair approached the house in which Brown had lodgings that gentleman opened the door and came down the steps. Ferguson gave a cry of relief at sight of him. Randall laughed softly. "You didn't take the boat then?" he asked.

"No, I was—or, detained," Brown stammered. "I'm going to Forty-second street now to catch a train."

"Have you seen the papers?" Ferguson put in. "Great Eastern run up, and the Yankee-land run down. Notice it?"

"I've read the items," Brown confessed. "Curious coincidence, so to speak, wasn't it? I—I don't know just what to make of it."

"You've been saved in spite of yourself. You ought to be mighty thankful," said Ferguson, a little warmly.

"Oh, I'll be honest with you," responded Brown with an effort. "I wasn't actually detained—that is, I might have caught the boat. But it had occurred to me—I had four days to think things over, you know—that perhaps by staying in town and waiting to see if the Yankee-land met with an accident I'd have just as good a chance to prove the falsity of the omen."

"Do you call it proved false?"

"Um! Hardly, hardly," said Brown. "An unfortunate incident, very unfortunate, I must say. It has almost unsettled my convictions." And he glanced about him nervously.

"You'll be taking a car at the corner," said Randall. "We'll toddle along with you."

The three had advanced hardly 50 feet when Brown dashed from between his companions and ran to the gutter.

"Look out!" he cried. "Don't you see those painters at work overhead? They're on a ladder. Don't walk under it. It's unlucky."

No sooner had this peril been avoided than he dropped to his knees and fell to picking at a crack in the sidewalk.

"Horribly unlucky to pass that," he explained, lifting a pin from the crevice.

"So I've been told," said Randall, with a chuckle. Ferguson lacked words appropriate to the occasion.

They halted at the corner, but Brown pretended not to see the first car which passed. The others saw it very plainly. It was No. 13. They put their friend aboard the next, which proved to have a number above suspicion.

"This affair beats me," said Ferguson soberly. "What ails Brown anyway?"

"Nothing much," replied Randall, "only he's gone from one extreme to the other. He didn't believe anything. Now he believes everything. That's all."

"I don't blame him—after such an escape."

"You think the spirits warned him?"

"Who else?"

"One Brown."

"He warned himself? Impossible!"

"Not at all. His own memory did the business."

"Memory of something to happen in the future! That's nonsense."

"No more nonsense than his newborn fears."

"I give up the conundrum. What's the answer?"

"I can't tell you in a word. You recollect the book he lent me the other night, don't you? Well, he'd been reading it the evening before—at least so he told me—and that was the evening preceding the vision. When I got home, I took off the old newspaper in which the book had been wrapped and fell to skimming—skipping about, you understand. Pretty soon I found a piece of paper stuck between two pages, evidently to mark the place where Brown had stopped. Not being much interested in the book, I began to look over the slip—and what do you suppose it was? The very fragment Brown had seen in his dream!"

"Eh?"

"Yes, sir. The very same. Then I thought of the paper which had been around the book, picked it up from the floor."

"Go on, man. Go on!" cried Ferguson.

"And found that the small piece just fitted a hole in it. That newspaper was nearly six months old, as it had to be to contain a quotation of Great Eastern at 20. It was clear enough what had happened. Brown, when he tore off the slip to stick in the book, read both sides of it without really knowing what he was doing. Then he must have dreamed about it, and you know as well as I do what resulted."

"But the accident to the steamer—it was a sound steamer?"

"Puget sound! The item was reprinted from a western paper and was duly credited. There has been a curious coincidence, that's a fact, but the warning theory is rather spoiled."

The pair stood on in silence for a time. At last Ferguson turned toward his companion with a question:

"When are you going to tell Brown?"

"Not for some time," said Randall decisively. "Nature has a way of averaging up things. Brown has a lot of believing to do to make up for his unbelief. You wouldn't have me interfering prematurely with the benevolent processes of nature, would you?"—New York Times.

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—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley Newton.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Stearns of Parker street are entertaining friends from Lynn.  
—Mrs. William E. Carey has her sister from Quincy, visiting her this week.  
—Mr. S. V. A. Hunter and family of Lake avenue are at home, having passed several weeks at the mountains.  
—Mrs. S. Wiley Edmonds of Pelham street is convalescing after a severe illness.  
—Mr. William Cutler of Everett has accepted a position with Mr. Beverley in Bray's block.  
—Miss Blake, who was the guest of Mrs. W. A. Thorpe, has returned to her home in Worcester.

—Mrs. S. V. A. Hunter of Lake avenue is entertaining Mrs. Charles Stearns.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Bishop of Beacon street are at home, having passed several weeks at the shore.

—Mrs. W. H. Palmer, formerly of Parker street, has moved to their new home in Cambridge.

—Mrs. E. Bowen of Summer street is at home, having passed several weeks in Maine.

—Mr. George Loomer, formerly of Langley road, has moved to his new house on Pelham street.

—Mr. John Bateman has leased the Harris estate on Parker street.

—Mr. M. C. Bray and family have returned from abroad.

—Mrs. Porter of Langley road is at Northampton, where she will spend the winter.

—Mrs. McKinley of the missionary home has returned from a tour through foreign lands.

—Officer Bailey has been transferred from West Newton to this village and Officer Condria is on night duty at West Newton.

—E. H. Mason and family are guests at the Woodland Park hotel, Abundant.

—Mrs. Lewis of Oxford road is at home, having returned from the mountains.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Goodrich have returned from their wedding trip and are living on Oxford road.

—Dr. Lawrence and family have returned to their home on Beacon street.

—Mr. I. R. Stevens is making some changes in his house on Crystal street.

—Considerable talking is being done about building an electric railroad from Needham to Newton Centre.

—Mrs. Wells Polly is fast recovering from his accident. It is thought there will not be any permanent injury.

—Miss Claire Hassler has gone to Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Miss Edith Hassler has gone to Jamaica, N. Y.

—Some one or more would like to know if the city ordinance says that fires must not be made on our streets.

—Mr. Smith, who has charge of the reading room, has returned from a two weeks vacation in New York, having added eight pounds to his weight.

—Young men here have formed a new Athletic club and will meet on the playground every afternoon for the present.

—Posters are displayed for Democratic Caucuses, to be held Thursday, 20th.

—The date for Mr. Emery's organ recital is fixed for Oct. 8. He is to be assisted by Mrs. M. Sherman-Raymond, violinist, and Miss Emma M. Barker, contralto.

—Harry S. Cornish, manager of the Chicago athletic association football team, was in Boston this week to arrange games with the Harvard and Newton athletic elevens.

—The Cecilia Club will hold its first meeting of the season at Mrs. Bird's, Pleasant street, Monday evening, Sept. 23rd at 7.30.

—Unitarian Society. Service at 10.30 a. m., conducted by the pastor. Full quartet choir with Miss Strong at the organ. Sunday school at 12. New lessons for all classes on the teachings of Jesus. All are welcome.

—At the Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday the pastor will preach in the morning at 10.30, on "Refined Gold," and in the evening on the "Parable of the Mustard Seed."

—Mr. John P. Keating has a very attractive house nearly completed for his own occupancy on Dedham street. Mr. John B. Rowe is the builder.

—Edward M. Slyney, sick and despondent, committed suicide at his boarding place at Fred Fein's on Parker street, Thursday evening, about 3.30. Slyney was a laborer, and had been employed for some years by contractors in Newton Centre and Newton Highlands. He was 25 years of age and unmarried. His home was in Worcester. He was a man of temperate habits, and was well spoken of by his employers.

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—A new feature in the Sunday evening services at the Baptist church is a praise meeting which precedes the customary exercises.

—During the cold spell this week, the pupils of the Mason school were excused from attendance. The furnaces were out of order and the building, therefore, could not be properly heated.

—Misses Mills, Rand, Ward and Matthews are at Smith College, Northampton, having returned to take up their studies following the vacation.

—Dr. Lawrence and family have returned from their summer place and are now occupying their residence here on Beacon street.

—The new L. O. L. lodge starts off under favorable auspices. These officers have been installed: Fred Kenick, W. M.; Alfred E. Armstrong, D. M.; Robert Brown, secretary; Robert Langell, treasurer; Thomas Fay, financier; James Tucker, chaplain; Robert Wilson, E. O.; Wm. F. O.; Theodore McLeer, C. F.; John Brown, C. The lodge has 30 charter members. It is expected that 10 will be initiated at the first meeting.

—The young ladies of Trinity parish, have in preparation an exhibition of Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works to be given under the direction of Miss Mary Seiden McCobb of Portland, Me., early in October. Miss McCobb has attained great fame in her interpretation of the character of Mrs. Jarley, and a most enjoyable evening is anticipated.

#### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Officer Moniton has moved into the Belger house on Cook street.

—Mr. John B. Haskell is occupying his new house on Boylston Road.

—Mr. George B. King has leased his house, corner of Lake avenue and Hyde street, to Mr. Francis Sprague.

—Mr. F. R. Moore and family have returned from the mountains.

—Mr. L. H. Hicks has taken a tenement in the house of Miss Fogg. Mr. Hicks is in the employ of Mr. Spaulding.

—Mr. H. M. Beal is now erecting another house at Elliot, fronting on Harrison street.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Dickerman have returned to their home at Elliot, after a summer's absence.

—Mr. J. E. Peckham and family have returned from their stay all summer on the south shore.

—Miss Claire Holmes has gone to New Hampshire for a stay of two weeks.

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—Mr. A. W. Thomas has moved into the house on Lincoln street next to Stevens' block.

—Mrs. E. W. Warren is slowly improving from a severe attack of malaria fever.

—A Republican caucus is called for Tuesday evening, Sept. 24th, at Stevens' hall, for the election of delegates to the several conventions.

—Services at St. Paul's next Sunday will be at 9.45, 10.45 and 7. Sunday school at 12.15.

—The people of St. Paul's church are to meet socially at the invitation of the Parish Guild in the Highland clubhouse on the evening of Thursday, Sept. 26th.

—Miss Evans, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Jones for the past three months, has returned to her home in Pennsylvania.

—Mr. L. A. Ross has leased his fine new house on Saxon road to Lieut. W. G. Cutler of Washington. Mr. Cutler is inspector of light houses for the eastern district. Mr. Ross has just completed a house on Hyde street which he offers for sale.

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—The affairs of the Echo Bridge Council, Royal Arcanum, are now in a flourishing condition. At a meeting, Wednesday evening, two new members were initiated and several applications for membership were received.

—James E. Cahill met with a serious accident while driving with his grandson on High street, Sunday morning. The horse became suddenly frightened, and as the child was seated on Mr. Cahill's lap, he was unable to control him. Mr. Cahill was thrown out and seriously injured, while his grandson received some severe bruises. The horse ran away but was stopped by colliding with a fence.

#### NONANTUM.

—Edwin Frye of Bridge street is away on his vacation.

—Officer J. J. Davis is enjoying his annual vacation.

—Timothy Sullivan has been appointed a transient officer.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting, Sunday evening, was led by Mr. E. R. Leeds.

—Property owners are said to be dissatisfied at their awards on the street widening on Watertown street.

—Mrs. J. E. Butler and daughter, Maude, are visiting Rev. J. L. Evans at Derry.

—Mrs. E. B. Griffin of Lowell is visiting friends here.

—Miss Manzer of St. John's, New Brunswick, who has been visiting here, has returned to her home.

—There is quite a little interest among the local bicyclists in the coming 10 mile road race. Two wheelmen are said to have a bet of a silk hat as to their respective merits.

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—The fruit store on West street has again changed managerial hands.

—A number of needed repairs have been made on the concrete sidewalk on Watertown street, in front of the House and at Stuart's block.

—Sunday evening, Rev. Joshua Davis of Newton gave a most interesting lecture at the North Evangelical church on "The Holy Land."

—Miss Alice Butler sang a very pleasing solo at the Baptist mission chapel at Mt. Auburn, Sunday evening.

—Mrs. Harry Clark and daughter, who have been visiting Mrs. Harry Dyson of Bridge street place, have returned to their home.

—Box 241 called the fire department to the house of Joseph Dickerson on Adams street, Saturday afternoon, for a fire in the wood box behind the kitchen stove. The waisteating and mantle were badly charred. Damage about \$5.

—Miss Eleanor Pierce, a former teacher at the Elliot school, died at her home in Medford, Thursday, of last week. Miss Pierce was one of the oldest teachers at the school and was principal a year after Mr. Edwards' resignation. She had recently returned from a Southern trip for her health, which failed to prove beneficial.

—Sunday afternoon, James Coburn and Patrick Hennessey were found in an intoxicated condition, by the police, on Boyd's field and entertained at Station 2. The police notified the peace officer Friday night and the next day in court paid a fine of \$6. Saturday night, William Miller, who had too great a load of poultry and whiskey, was placed in durance vile as were Enoch Molskarn and Harry Maskin.

—Sunday afternoon the final out-door summer service of the Beulah Mission was held on Mr. Hudson's lawn. The attendance was unusually large, there being over seventy persons present. Mr. Arthur Arnold addressed the gathering and told of his work in the Clark and Howard street missions, which was very interesting. At the close of the service, which was heartily joined by all the secretary announced that this meeting ended the first of the six months' work of the Mission, and that during that time there had been an attendance of 1,000 persons. The total collections amounted to \$20.15. Next Sunday the first Sunday School concert will be held in St. Elmo hall at 5 o'clock.

#### HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS.

SOME GOOD GAMES AT THE CLUB.

The games on the High school tennis tournament on the Neighborhood club courts at West Newton, Tuesday and Thursday were exceptionally well played and largely attended. Both days the courts were in the pink of condition and while the rain Wednesday necessitated a postponement, it affected Thursday's play but little.

The Lee-Garrison match in the first round, was quite a surprise as it was expected Garrison would give Lee quite a struggle.

The Wise-Whitmore match was especially good and loudly applauded. Hollings and Hollis put up a splendid game while Harrington and Wilkins also made a good showing. The singles, doubles, and ladies singles will be continued next week. The following is the score of the two day's play:

PRELIMINARY ROUND.  
Walworth beat Stevens.....6-0 6-0  
White beat W. Chase.....6-2 6-1

FIRST ROUND.  
A. E. Whitmore beat Lippincott 6-0 6-2  
Larued beat W. Lee.....6-1 9-7  
Paine beat Barnes.....6-0 6-4  
Wise beat Plimpton.....6-4 6-2  
Hollings beat Hollis.....6-3 6-3  
Harrington beat Wilkins.....4-6 6-2  
J. H. Lee beat Garrison.....6-1 6-0  
Watworth beat Hamlin.....6-1 6-2  
W. Chase beat Fitzpatrick.....5-7 6-2 7-5  
Anders beat R. Whitmore.....6-4 6-6 6-1  
Ellis beat Burdon.....6-0 6-1  
Cummings beat Coombs.....6-2 6-0  
Stearns beat R. Chase.....6-0 6-2  
Leonard beat Johnson.....6-0 6-1  
Harrington beat Pratt.....6-4 6-3 6-3

SECOND ROUND.  
Whitmore beat Larned.....6-1 6-4  
Wise beat Paine.....6-1 6-5  
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J. H. Lee beat Walworth.....6-3 6-1  
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Ellison beat Marble.....6-0 6-5 6-4  
Armington beat Leonard.....6-5 6-4 6-4

THIRD ROUND.  
Wise beat Whitmore.....6-1 3-6 6-2  
Anders beat Ellison.....4-6 6-4 7-5

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Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John P. Keating to Arthur H. Nichols, dated the 31st day of January 1893, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex (No. Dist. 1170 274, folio 579), will be sold at public auction for breach of the conditions in said mortgage deed, namely:—A certain piece or parcel of land situated in that part of said Newton called Newton Highlands on Dedham street, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Northernly by said Dedham street, Easterly by land of the Wetherill heirs, Southernly by land late of the heirs of Winchester, and now of French, and Westerly by land of the Highland Land associates, containing three (3) acres 32.670 feet of land more or less, being the same premises conveyed to the said John P. Keating by William S. Fewkes, by deed of even date, to be recorded herewith with Middlesex No. Dist. deeds, subject to the rights of way, in said deed referred to. Also another piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Newton Highlands and bounded: Northernly by Center street; Ely nine (9) feet (50 ft) Easterly by Walnut street ninety (90) feet, Southernly by lot three (3) on a plan heretofore described, fifty-four and 25-100 (54 25/100) ft. and Westerly by lot two (2) on said plan eighty-four (84) feet (51 ft) long. Being Lot No. One (1) on a plan drawn by Marshall S. Rice, surveyed, dated Oct. 10, 1874, and duly recorded with Middlesex (No. Dist.) deeds; subject to a prior mortgage now held by this grantee to which a reference is hereby made for a more particular description.

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—Mr. J. W. Wright of Tremont street removes next Monday to New Haven.

—Prof. Harris of Andover will preach at Eliot church, Sunday morning and evening.

—Both the senior and junior classes at the Y. M. C. A. are increasing in number nightly.

—Mr. S. C. Smith and family have returned from Sandwich to their winter home on Fairmont avenue.

—Mr. J. Edward Hollis has leased his house on Jewett street to Mr. B. A. Banks.

—Mr. Ralph W. Bartlett of Boston has leased the Eddy house on Richardson street.

—Lt-Commander Miller, U. S. N., and family have returned from Hull to their home on Park street.

—Mr. E. S. Hamblen and family and Mrs. Linder returned this week from their summer home in North Scituate.

—The awards on the Washington street widening from Centre street to the railroad crossing will be found in the city council report.

—The Rev. Dr. Burt of West Newton will exchange pulpits with the Rev. George E. Merrill of Immanuel church next Sunday morning.

—Mr. W. F. Bowman of the Hunnewell has returned from a two weeks visit at his former home in Cincinnati. Miss Bowman has returned from her summer in New Hampshire.

—Miss E. Juvenne Robbins and Mrs. Robbins are in New York this week attending the millinery openings, and will return Saturday with a fine assortment of the latest styles in millinery.

—The Men's club of Grace church will hold a meeting for men at 8 p. m. next Wednesday in the parish house. General topic, "Old Times in Newton."

—Neighborhood Missionary meeting at 4 p. m. Thursday, in Grace church. Addresses by Dr. Nash, Dr. Bevan, and by Mrs. W. F. Bowman.

—The 40th anniversary of the church meeting closes at 5.10. This promises to be a highly interesting occasion. Open to all.

—Grace church, 40th anniversary—In the morning a special discourse by Dr. Shinn on "Some things which are possible in the future." At night an anniversary sermon by Bishop Lawrence. There will be interesting music at both services.

—The order presented last Monday night for the widening of Tremont street has given great satisfaction in this part of Newton. It will be of much benefit to the city than any other improvement that has been undertaken, as it will give a five cent fare to Boston.

—Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Mary Abby Ous to Mr. Herbert B. Bingham, of New York, but formerly of Newton, at the home of Mr. Bingham, on Thursday evening, Oct. 10th. Owing to a recent bereavement in the family the invitations are only sent to relatives.

—Mr. C. O. Tucker took a party of Newton business men out to his farm in Co. W., yesterday, going by way of Dedham, and visiting the places of interest along the route, and taking dinner at the Canton farm. Those who went were Messrs. Wellington Howes, E. O. Barber, Dr. Bunker, A. T. Pierce and G. S. Smith of Newtonville.

—The hot weather of last Sunday compelled the Baptist Church Mission of Newton to hold their first Sunday school concert in the hall of the Y. M. C. A. A large attendance, and the exercises were extremely interesting. The subjects were "Our Sunday School," and "Small Beginnings." The report of the secretary shows an average attendance of 28 or 29 for the three months, and that the total membership of the school was 35. Next Sunday Mr. Frank Ward of Cambridge will address the meeting.

—Mr. William Lloyd Garrison will read a paper on "The Problem of the Unemployed and Enforced Poverty," Monday evening, Oct. 14, at 8 o'clock at Mr. C. B. Philbrook's, 250 Bellevue street, corner Newtonville avenue. Mr. Philbrook is happy to open his house to any person interested in this problem and its proposed solution through the S. N. G. Tax. Subsequent discussion invited. Washington street electric cars pass Bellevue street a few steps from the house.

—The annual meeting of the Men's Club of Grace church will be held in the parish building on Wednesday, Oct. 2, at 7.30 p. m., sharp, for the election of officers, the amendment of the Constitution and by-laws, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it. At the conclusion of the regular meeting, and as near 8 p. m. as possible a special meeting, to which the public are cordially invited, will be held in commemoration of the 40th anniversary of the organization of the parish. The following papers will be read: "Newton—The Past and Present," by Mr. W. C. Bates; "History of the Episcopal Church in Newton," by Prof. S. E. Warren; "Sketch of the Life of the First Rector of Grace Church," by Rev. G. W. Shinn, D. D.

—Washington street near the Church street crossing begins to give an idea of what the improvement will be when completed. The fence on the South estate has been moved back to the new line of the street, and the widening is also made on the North side. The new line of the street is being got ready to move. The digging up of the street has blocked the car tracks so that people have had to make a transfer at this point most of the week. The work is being pushed with a good deal of energy, and before the season closes a great change will be made in the appearance of things.

—The following contributions have been received at the Pomroy Home for September: Mr. Hazen, corn and squashes; Miss Shannon, milk and apples; Mrs. J. S. Potter, 2 dresses, 1 pr. shoes, 1 pr. stockings and ribbons; Mrs. Carpenter, West Newton, apples; Miss Shannon, milk and tomatoes; Mrs. C. W. Walworth, peas and tomatoes; Mrs. Emery, Waverley avenue, Newton, tomatoes, green corn and beans; Mrs. J. S. Potter, 3 hats, 1 shirt-waist, 1 skirt, 1 pair of drawers, 1 pair of trousers, 1 pair of collars and cuffs; Mrs. J. S. Potter, 1 pair of shoes; Mrs. Geo. S. Harwood, \$3 to be used in outings for the girls; Miss Ethel Harwood and Miss Grace Dickinson invited the girls for a day's outing, up to Spy Pond, Arlington, where they had a most delightful time; Miss Shannon, apples, milk and tomatoes; Mrs. R. A. Mallou, Church street, Newton, hats, 1 silk waist, 1 dress, 1 coat, 3 pr. of shoes, 1 dress skirt, 2 skirts, picture cards; Miss George Bamford, 1 hat, 1 pr. fur lined mittens, 3 winter coats; Miss Shannon, tomatoes and milk; Mrs. A. C. Walworth, green corn, tomatoes, cauliflower and peas; Winfield S. Slocum, 3 pr. shoes, gloves; Mrs. Russell A. Ballou, 2 shirt waists, gloves, ribbons, bedding, neckties, vests, hat trimmings, games and Xmas cards; Miss Shannon, milk, tomatoes and apples; Mr. Adams, lettuce, cabbage and tomatoes; Mr.

Paxton, bread and rolls; Miss Shannon, milk; Mr. Hazen, green corn; Miss Shannon, peas, tomatoes and milk; Mrs. A. C. Walworth, tomatoes.

—Miss Dana will receive a few young children in her parlors after Oct. 7. Apply at 488 Centre street.

—Patrolman Putnam of the night squad, returned Friday from his vacation trip.

—William J. Holmes has returned from his trip south with the G. A. R.

—Ralph T. Laffie has returned from a trip to Brandon and Middlebury, Vt.

—Miss Carrie Coppins of Centre street will return Saturday from a trip to Portland.

—Walter Whitney of Jefferson street will enter the Institute of Technology Monday.

—Newton will be well represented in the Freshman class at the Institute. From the different Newtons there will be a round dozen of students.

—Miss Mattie Harty, who for the past month has been the guest of Mrs. Herbert C. Griffin (nee Rhyn) of Grantham, N. H., is expected home tomorrow.

—Miss Stevens wishes to inform her patrons that she has returned to 14 Bacon street, and is ready for fall engagements sewing by day or week.

—Box 22 sounded Sunday afternoon calling on those who were one to Brighton, to aid the Boston department in extinguishing a fire in the large hay shed opposite the Albany house.

—Bishop Lawrence has been walking on crutches of late owing to an accident received a year or so ago. He writes that he expects to leave for Grace church at the anniversary on Sunday night.

—The Men's Club of Grace church have planned an interesting meeting for next Wednesday night. There will be three historical papers read. The general topic will be, "Newton as it used to be."

—The unusual heat of last Sunday did not affect the Methodist congregations much. The morning audience was glad to hear the quartet again and the large evening audience greatly enjoyed Dr. Waugh and family of India.

—The friends and pupils of Miss Alice F. Peirce will be glad to know that she has returned and her summer vacation, and is to make her home in Newton at "The Hollis" the coming season. She resumes her teaching as usual in October.

—The Rev. Thomas F. Fales was the first clergyman called to the rectory of Grace church 40 years ago. He declined then because Walworth seemed to be a more important field. Mr. Fales is still active and intends being present at the anniversary celebrations in Grace church.

—There are letters in the postoffice for J. C. Beauman, Joseph Beaudry, Edw. Clark, Fred Dolter, S. Fessenden, D. W. McIntyre, N. Nathaniel Whitney, Mr. W. Appleton, Mrs. John A. Cross, Mrs. Katie Foster, Mrs. Wm. Gray, Maggie McIsaac, S. A. Salisbury and Mary H. Ware.

—The Y. M. C. A. Debating Club met Saturday evening in the Association Hall for the first time since the adjournment in June. It was voted that the chairman appoint a committee of three to draft a constitution suitable for a congress and present it to the next meeting.

—Charles S. Sumner is to go abroad on a bicycle tour for the purpose of making of Columbia bicycles. He sails from New York on the Patria next week for Hamburg, and will travel through Germany and Russia. He expects to be there a year or more and will have his headquarters in Hamburg.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Gowdy Baker will open her studio, with an exhibition and sale of summer sketches, Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 2nd and 3rd, in the afternoon from 2 until 6. A. are cordially invited. Applications for classes in water colors received those days and any morning afterwards.

—The music for Sunday evening at Grace church: Processional, "O 'Twas a joyful sound." Parker Nune Dialects. Anthem, "The Lord is in His Holy Temple."

"The Lord is great." R. Ghini Retrospectual Hymn, "On our way rejoicing." Havergall

All seats free.

—Some very imaginative person greatly enlarged the fact concerning the collision on the B. & A. at Auburndale, Saturday, so that at one time in the afternoon the report was circulated that the trains, instead of being freight cars, were passenger coaches and were wrecked and the engineer and fireman of the alleged express were killed. The electric, profited by this as it lured quite a number of people to the scene.

—Mr. Ezekiel Tanfousian of Antioch, where the disciples were first called Christians, will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church with the pastor Sunday morning. Mr. Tanfousian comes highly recommended by many leading pastors and the religious press of America. All will be interested to hear of ancient and modern Syria and the church in Antioch, from one who speaks English as well as a native of his own country. The evening service will be a Chautauqua Vesper service, with short sermon, subject, "Food Reading." All invited.

—Music at Eliot church, Sunday: MORNING SERVICE.

Organ prelude. Deum. Kotschmar. Bragg. Quartet, "O helping hand of Jesus." Wiegand. Organ postlude. Beirvon.

EVENING SERVICE.

Organ prelude. Dubois. Anthem, "From my heavenly home." Sullivan. Alto solo, "The Hills of God." Sullivan. Anthem, "I will mention." Sullivan. Organ postlude. Gounod.

—The Boston Globe announced yesterday that the Nonantum house property had been sold to a syndicate for \$50,000. It belongs to the Turner estate, and the heirs are very anxious to find out who the syndicate is, and when the money is to be paid over to them. It is not usual to sell such a large block of real estate without the owners' knowledge, but some surprising things are done nowadays. Diligent search among the real estate men of Newton has failed to discover any trace of the syndicate. It is a valuable piece of property, and would prove a good investment. Rumors of its sale have been frequent the past few years, but when the sale takes place the owners will probably be the first to know of it.

—Mr. H. S. Allen has been appointed as special agent for the Boston division of the New England Telephone Co. Mr. Allen has for the past 20 months occupied the position of manager of the Newton exchange, and during that time about 70 new subscribers have been added, and the service much improved by the exchange of ground wires for the metallic lines. Mr. G. R. Payson of Longwood, present manager of the Milton office, will fill the position left vacant by Mr. Allen. The office has been recently enlarged and improved, and a new key board is to be added.

—The ladies should try Launder's Launder. It requires no boiling, and imparts beautiful laundry gloss to linen

## NOON WEDDING AT NEWTON.

MISS HELEN LOUISE FARQUHAR GIVEN TO MR. HARRY A. TITUS OF NEWPORT.

At noon Wednesday, Miss Helen Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Farquhar, and Mr. Harry A. Titus of Newport, R. I., were married at the home of the bride's parents on Sargent street.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Francis N. Peloubet of Auburndale, the couple standing in front of a tall screen formed of tropical plants, and beneath festoons of holly and clinging vines. In the several apartments on the first floor, the floral decorations were extremely artistic, the varied tints of beautiful flowers blending with the green of vines and ferns.

The immediate friends and relatives alone received invitations to the ceremony. The service was simple. The bride was given in marriage by her father and looked charming in a gown of white brocade satin, with garniture of duchess lace. She carried a bouquet of bride roses.

The maid of honor, her sister, Miss Clara Beatrice Farquhar, was gowning in pink muslin. Her bouquet was made up of a large cluster of day-break pinks.

Mr. Nathan Clifford of Portland, Me., was best man, and the ushers were Messrs. C. A. Writington of Newport, Frank Farquhar of Newton, William Farquhar of New York and R. D. Ware of Boston.

After the ceremony a large reception was held, guests being present from Newport, Boston, Cambridge, Brookline and the Newtons. The bride's uncle, Col. David W. Farquhar of Gov. Greenhalge's staff, and others prominent in public and social life were among those who tendered congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Titus were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Farquhar and the groom's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Titus of Newport. During the formal presentation of guests the Boston Ideal Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club rendered selections from tuncful operas and classical composers.

Mr. and Mrs. Titus received a large number of valuable presents. They were displayed in a room up stairs. At the close of the reception they departed on their wedding tour. Upon their return they will reside in Salem.

THE REFERENDUM.

A WOMAN FAILS TO SEE ANY ADVANTAGE FROM IT.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:—

I have seen in a leading Boston paper this week a statement that the women of Newton, under the leadership of the Newton Federation of Women's Clubs, would take a prominent part in the politics of the city this fall. Allow me to state that the Federation is composed of several different clubs, and none of these are political or organized for political purposes in any way, nor is the Federation intended as such. If leading members and officers, also, are prominent in woman suffrage subjects, it does not follow that all members are so, and I do not believe that the Federation can deal with any political subjects without endangering the membership.

The referendum, so called, may bring more personally to each individual woman the subject of woman suffrage, but only to add another injustice to the burdens. Why must I, who do not want to vote, and have my hands too full already, why must I pay a dollar of my money and give at least two hours of time to register, and then more time and thought required to vote upon school committees, simply to say "I don't want to vote?" How perfectly absurd to expect any one to do it, and then what is gained after all. It changes no one's opinion, it adds a few dollars to the city treasury, and the suffragists will be the same as before. It seems to me that I should like to know what these wrongs are which the votes of women are to remedy, and I have yet to hear of any wrong which any women or body of women are enduring which could not be helped as well by good men, as by good women. I believe there are yet enough good men in this country to take every care of the rights of women, and such men as Dr. Parkhurst and Theodore Roosevelt are giving us shining examples.

CLUB MEMBERS.

Y. M. C. A.

Mr. H. G. Cole, a reformed gambler, drunkard, and opium eater, will address the men's meeting at 4 p. m. Sunday. Mr. Cole has for 11 years spoken before Reform Clubs, Y. M. C. A., and other organizations.

The General Secretary will give a talk on "Some Queer Things" next Sunday before the boys at 3 o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary will be held Wednesday afternoon in the association rooms. Plans were completed for the gymnasium classes and the sale, the latter to be held about Nov. 1st.

Next Wednesday evening the board of directors will hold its regular monthly meeting.

Rubber Tires.

The most reliable rubber tire, and also the cheapest, is represented and the tires furnished by P. A. Murray. They are made by the Rubber Tire Wheel Co., who have a branch house in Boston. There is no comfort in carriage riding without rubber tires.

Without his Consent.

Boston, Sept. 27, 1895.

To the Editor of the Graphic:—

Dear Sir:—Seeing by the Boston Herald that my name was used and I was elected as a delegate at the caucus at West Newton last evening, I wish to state that I was not present at the caucus and my name was used entirely without my knowledge or consent.

Very truly,  
AUSTIN S. KILBURN.

An Incident of the Journey.

(From Puck.)

Dante—Tell me, O Virgil! what is the idea of beginning an epic poem in the middle? For between you and me, I have some notion of writing an epic poem myself.

Virgil—You begin an epic poem in the middle, O Dante! because that is the best chance you have of getting your reader as far as that.

## REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

THE ANTI-GREENHALGE MEN DEFEATED IN EVERY WARD—THE A. P. A. SECURES SOME SENATORIAL DELEGATES.

The Republican caucuses, Tuesday evening, were largely attended. Republicans turning out in force to secure Greenhalge delegates to the state convention, and succeeded in every ward, although there was a hot fight in several of the wards. In Ward 5, a great crowd of A. P. A. men came down from Upper Falls, and the contest was the hottest one in the city. But they were defeated by the Republicans from the Highlands, although the balloting was protracted till a late hour.

The A. P. A's turned out their full strength in every ward, and finding themselves defeated in the Greenhalge fight, they turned their attention to the Senatorial delegates, and claim that they have a large majority for Dr. Niles, the present A. P. A. Senator. In Ward One, this is conceded, but in the other wards most of the delegates are not A. P. A. men, but whether they will vote for or against Dr. Niles is not known. Few A. P. A. men secured places on the other delegations. The result of the caucuses was as follows:

Ward 11—Chairman, T. Langford; secretary, A. R. Bailey. State, E. J. H. Estabrook, D. W. Stearns, H. W. Downs; councilor, E. P. Seales, C. A. Farley, I. S. Franklin; country, S. W. Tucker, E. R. Utley, H. E. Johnson; senatorial, Reuben F. Knull, J. M. Briggs, C. A. Farley; representative, J. H. Hamilton, H. E. Green, J. W. Barber, W. R. Lowry, F. B. Stone, E. J. H. Estabrook, I. T. Fletcher, Reuben Fork-nall, W. G. Brackett, J. T. Langford and J. F. Frisbie.

Ward 2—Chairman, Edward Sands; clerk, C. O. Brigham. State, H. A. Boynton, N. H. Chabrick, W. S. Slough, J. O. Smith; councilor, E. W. Bailey, T. J. Eaton, C. A. Kellogg, W. F. Slocum; country, W. H. Coudige, H. F. Ross, Edward Sands, G. F. Williams; senatorial, R. C. Bridgman, C. D. Cabot, A. G. Gordon, J. M. Stickleby; representative, C. K. Drury, A. Gross, L. E. Green, W. Hamilton, O. E. Hunt, C. A. Kellogg, D. F. Lord, W. M. Palmer, H. B. Parker, C. E. Roberts, A. A. Savage, H. E. Sisson, S. J. Spear, A. T. Sylvester, E. T. Wiswall.

Ward 3—Chairman, W. E. Sheldon; clerk, C. O. Fisher. State, S. E. Howard, G. P. Staples, A. P. Luke; councilor, E. B. Wilson, C. A. Wyman, G. H. Ingraham; senatorial, W. H. B. Dowse, G. A. Blaney, F. W. Sprague; country, C. H. Hatfield, V. E. Carpenter, W. E. Sheldon; representative, E. B. Wilson, G. C. Davis, C. R. Fisher, H. M. Davis, J. T. Allen, W. A. Young, A. S. Pratt, C. L. Eddy, Eliott Peabody, E. A. Marsh, G. A. Frost and J. C. Melvin.

Ward 4—Chairman, Arthur Farley; clerk, Arthur Kelley. State, J. S. Hunt, E. E. Morgan, J. F. Ryder; councilor, A. J. Desse, E. F. Ashenden, G. M. Steele; senatorial, G. A. Hewett, F. E. Hall, A. H. Wiggin; country, A. H. Wiggin, G. H. Tooman, and H. O. Ryder; representative, F. A. Childs, H. M. B



## CITY GOVERNMENT.

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Emma G. Ellis	618
Selma N. Harbo	314
Gertrude D. Knapp	130
Annie E. Ellis, Dev.	180
H. Wilson Rose	118
Frederick A. Vary	161
Annie T. Willis	81
Henry F. Ross	60
Frances E. Flz	203
Marla L. Hammett	5
Frances C. Sparr, Ark	1,338
Jeanette Wood, et al	200
Sarah W. Morse	531
Edw. H. Fennessey, Dev.	3
Ella T. Fennessey	2,519
William Morton	2,658
William B. Young	2,324
Sarah E. Hodges	300
William B. Young	179
Albert Kotto	18
William B. Young	264
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Newton Park Land Co.	6,972
Newton Park Land Co.	1,45
Mrs. Delah T. Smith	51
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Henrietta M. Parker	894
Newton Land & Improvement Co.	1,640
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Horace H. Parker	123
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Ann Murphy	97
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Eliza Fitzgerald	24
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Dennis Donahue	78
Michael Fitzgerald	289
Edward Penderghast, et al	106
Mary Gahan	112
John W. Penderghast	
Wm. Doyle	
Mary J. McCarthy	
Ellen M. Hurley	
Total	\$79,511

An order was passed establishing the polling places for the state election. Orders were passed for concrete walks on Lombard street and Hyde avenue. Permit was granted to the Newton street railway to build office and extension in rear of their car house on Washington street, to take the place of the part taken for widening Washington street.

## MORE MONEY FOR HIGHWAY REPAIRS.

Alderman Degen presented an order calling for \$20,000 additional for highway general repairs, \$15,000 to be used for that purpose and \$5,000 for sidewalks. Alderman Tolman said he would like to hear from the chairman of the highway committee.

Alderman Plummer said the committee had not expended quite all of its appropriation, but so near it that the men would have to be dismissed if more money was not found. The city had taken on more than 40 miles of streets and yet the annual appropriation was not increased, and the committee had also to spend twelve or fifteen hundred dollars on other things. The storm of a week ago cost \$1,000, for the cleaning out of catch basins and other damage, and every storm called for a similar amount. There were many repairs that should be made at once, and claims for damages from defective streets were appalling. It would be cheaper to repair than to pay damages. Lexington street, for instance, was in a terrible condition, and it would take \$10,000 to put that into shape. The section work could not be kept up much longer without more money.

Alderman Tolman said the committee last year had not been negligent, and had not exceeded its appropriation.

Alderman Green said he could not speak from a very long experience, but he knew of no case where money had been spent wisely, and repairs were needed everywhere. A good deal of the trouble was due to the condition the streets were left after laying the sewers, and apparently solid streets would cave in, and leave holes that must be attended to at once. The surface of some streets was washed away by the heavy rains, and unless attended to the street would be undermined.

Alderman White thought a good deal of the work was due to what was left undone by last year's committee, and also to Appleton street where it was like dropping money into a rat hole, and there seemed to be no end to the expense.

Mayor Bothfield said there was no work left over from last year's committee, but the committee did all it had to do and did not exceed its appropriation.

The order was passed unanimously. An order was passed giving property owners on the line of the boulevard from Auburn street to the Charles River 10 days to vacate, or the city would seal all buildings and other obstructions left after that date.

An order was passed authorizing the mayor to release any claim the city might have on land formerly owned by Dr. Hitchcock, and now owned by Messrs. Tandy and Guild, for drainage rights.

## FIRE ALARM BOXES

were ordered on Winsor road and corner of Edinboro and Watertown streets, and \$200 appropriated therefor.

## FIFTH REGIMENT FIELD DAY.

Alderman White reported an order appropriating \$200 for the visit of the Fifth Regiment to Newton, Oct. 10th.

Alderman Tolman asked why any money was needed? He had seen it stated that the Veteran Association were to entertain the visitors.

Alderman White said all the money might not be needed but Newton ought to do something to recognize such an event, as the city did not wish to appear meaner than other cities.

The order was passed. On motion of Alderman Degen the unexpended balances in the appropriation for street drains was transferred to that for drains and culverts.

## APPLETON STREET.

The sum of \$6,500 was appropriated to finish Appleton street, to be raised by a ten year 4 per cent note, and provision was made to issue such a note.

The sum of \$1,500 was appropriated for drains on Lexington, Concord and Austin streets.

The water board was authorized to expend \$455 in laying a main 300 feet in length on Broadway and Churchill streets.

## A MOVING ORDER.

An order was passed that the Newton Street Railway be ordered to discontinue the use of its tracks on Washington street, when and for as long a time as the superintendent of streets should decide was necessary. The order is to allow of the moving of buildings through the streets, and to provide for some system so that the streets shall be

blocked as short a time as possible.

Orders were passed granting locations for the connection of the tracks of the Newton & Boston and Boston & Wellesley with the Commonwealth Avenue Street Railway.

Orders were passed for the laying out and accepting of Surrey Road, and Langdon streets.

Mayor Bothfield asked to be relieved of service on the committee on Washington street awards, as the matters would come before him finally for approval. The board so voted.

Jesse C. Ivy was given leave to withdraw on his petition for a reopening of the Washington street widening matter.

Alderman Plummer said the Boston & Albany had agreed to stop their engines whistling on trains passing through Newton, but all night the switching engines kept up their tooting, and it had become a serious nuisance. He thought if the city clerk would send a remonstrance to the officials the matter might be remedied.

The board after a short executive session adjourned.

There is more Catarrh to this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

## COUNTY POLITICS.

THE MOVE AGAINST SHERIFF CUSHING AND WHO IS BEHIND IT.

Middlesex county has her share of lively politics, says the Boston Herald. Henry G. Cushing of Lowell, the sheriff of the county, is opposed this year for nomination by Joseph Stearns of Waltham. It is said Sheriff Cushing is in disfavor with the county commissioners and when the two leading members of that board, J. Henry Reed of Westford and Samuel O. Upham of Waltham, get after a man, he has got to strike a lively pace to keep ahead of them.

The alleged grievance against Sheriff Cushing is that he has talked too freely about the commissioners. He does not seem to have approved all they have done, and has had the courage to say so. There was an attempt made to induce Mayor Bancroft to stand as a candidate for sheriff in the Republican convention, but he is not ambitious to fill that kind of an office.

The gossip is to the effect that J. Henry Reed, the chairman of the county commissioners, asked him to become a candidate. Mr. Reed has said that this statement is not true. His version is that he was being talked about as a candidate. That is all.

Mr. Cushing's opponent, Mr. Stearns, is not widely known in the county. He is said to be the A. P. candidate. Attempts have been made to discover what Sheriff Cushing has done to incite the hostility of the members of this order. The quest has been fruitless, except in one feeble respect. It is said that of his 40 deputies one is a Catholic. No doubt the real reason of the opposition is that Mr. Stearns wants the office, and that political opponents of Sheriff Cushing are anxious for an opportunity to punish him.

The term of one of the commissioners, Francis Bigelow of Natick, expires this year, and he has a contest on hand for re-nomination. His opponent is H. E. Bullard of Holliston, a strong man in his community, the president of a national bank, and also connected with the shoe business. A strong effort is being made to nominate Mr. Bullard by those who are not in love with the board as it is presently constituted, though it is confessed by them that there is less feeling against Mr. Bigelow than the other members of the commission.

Representative Dallinger of Cambridge who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for senator in the 32 Middlesex district, has come to realize what it means to oppose these county commissioners. In the House last winter, as chairman of the committee on county estimates, he denounced in the strongest terms their methods of doing business. The debate on the appropriation for the Lowell court house furnished the opportunity.

Mr. Dallinger also had something to do with the rejection of the bill to increase the salaries of the commissioners. Their compensation is \$1800 per annum each, and they wanted it increased to \$2400 or \$3500. The committee on public service recommended \$2000. Then the matter went to the committee on county estimates, of which Mr. Dallinger was chairman, and the report was leave to withhold. The report was accepted. Mr. Dallinger is the first Republican to get up in a public place and criticize what is commonly termed "the Middlesex county ring," and if he should be turned down now it is believed he is the last one who will have the temerity to challenge the opposition of that powerful factor in politics.

## New Music.

Oliver Ditson Co. of Boston will place on the market in October, the following pieces of sacred music, composed by Mr. J. Eliot Trowbridge of Newton: Solos—"O taste and see that the Lord is good," cantata; "Blessed be Thou, Lord God of Israel," ballad; "Blessed are they that love His Commandments," soprano or tenor; "I have fought a good fight," bass. Quartet and choruses—"Hear the prayer of thy servant;" "The Lord careth for the righteous;" "The Lord Jehovah reigns supreme;" (choral); "Grace be unto you," Male quartet, "O Bethlehem's Babe Immanuel," Christmas anthem for 1895. Solos and quartet with violin obligato. A new and revised edition of the Oratorio, "Paul the Apostle," by same composer, (heard in Eliot Hall last April) will also be issued by Ditson Co. in October and the work pushed in America and England.

It's just as easy to try One Minute Cough Cure as any thing else. It's easier to cure a severe cough or cold with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Cure. Better medicine; better results; better try it. Arthur Hudson, Newton; Bernard Billings, Newton Upper Falls; Walter P. Thorn, Auburndale.

## OLD TIME FOOT BALL RIVALS.

NEWTON AND BROOKLINE HIGH ELEVEN TO MEET TODAY—GAME WILL DETERMINE WHICH WILL HAVE MEMBERSHIP IN THE SENIOR INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE.

This afternoon the question which is agitating interscholastic foot ball circles as to whether Newton High will retain its membership in the senior league or be displaced by another aspirant, Brookline High, will be settled on the Cypress street grounds, Brookline.

According to the rules of the senior interscholastic association, the winner in of last year must play the winner of the junior interscholastic league to determine which one of the two shall be admitted to the senior league.

Newton High was the tailender in the senior league contest last year and Brookline was an easy winner in the junior league, so the play-off comes between these two eleven.

Both schools have been old time rivals in foot ball, and the game promises to be a very interesting contest.

In 1885 Brookline High and Newton High played a memorable tie game on the Cypress street grounds, and in that year Brookline had a star eleven which went through the season without a defeat.

The chances of Newton High winning the game next Friday are very slim, judging from the feeling among the players and students of that school. Capt. Lee complains of a great lack of interest among the members of the eleven.

The game suffered a severe blow in the loss of nearly all the best players of last year's eleven, and the new men have not shown up in a manner that would raise many hopes in the breasts of their adherents.

Capt. Howard Lee is probably the best man on the team. He is a veteran in his position of centre rush, and is an earnest and conscientious worker. He has been obtaining a lot of good coaching as a candidate for the Newton Athletic Club's eleven, and the points he has thus picked up he has taught his men. He is 5 feet 10 inches in height and weighs 180 pounds. He is a very aggressive player, and quick to take advantage of an opponent's weakness.

Howard, a newcomer, is the most promising candidate for the position of right guard, the place left vacant by Paul, who was the star player of last year's team, and who is trying for a place in the line on Newton Athletic this season. Howard, while rather slow on his feet, has the making of a good guard. He weighs 165 pounds.

Van Voorhees will be found at left guard, where his 170 pounds of muscle will prove an obstacle to any play directed at that side of centre.

Brigham, who gained much experience on the Newton Athletic second eleven last year, will prove a formidable man to meet at left tackle. He is quick in getting through the interference, and tackles hard and low. He tips the scales at 150 pounds.

The other tackle will be looked after by a new man, Johnson, 140 pounds. While he is very light for the position, he more than offsets this by his great strength and activity. He has put up the best game of any man in the line in practice.

A new man will be found at left end. Wharton, who has surprised and delighted his friends and captain by his fine work. He follows the ball like a streak, and gets through interference and downs his man every time. It is safe to say that no large gains will be made around his end. He weighs 157 pounds.

Right end is also very strong. Cotting is a veteran in that position and understands the game thoroughly.

Quarter-back has found a new exponent in young Forsen, who is a clever man for the place. He gives the signals quickly and clearly, gets into every play and runs the team like a veteran. His weight is 145 pounds.

Cases, at left half-back, is the surest ground gainer of the backs, and can be depended on to advance the ball every time it is given to him. He weighs 155 pounds.

The other half, Burdon, 140 pounds, is used for around the end plays, as he is a fast runner, good dodger, and uses his blockers to the best advantage. His chief fault is in not starting the second ball is snapped.

Bryant is sure of full back, as he is the best punter on the team. He runs low and hard, but is apt to fumble. He weighs 145 pounds.

Among the other candidates, the most prominent ones are Page, 170 pounds, who is making a good bid for one of the tackles, and Barnum, an aspirant for end.

## Newton Politicians.

(Middlesex County Tribune.)

All well-posed Newton citizens know and must admit that, with a few notable exceptions, the quality of the Newton municipal politicians is not of the high standard that it was some few years ago.

This, of course, is due to the fact that, as a rule, the representative business men and citizens of that city are either too much engrossed in making money or are not sufficiently interested in municipal politics to take their turn in the city's management. It was not many years ago that the Newton city government was the cleanest and most representative political organization of gentlemen in the state, the result of which was pure, non-partisan and business-like political conduct. While at the present time the Newton city government is composed of honorable gentlemen and in some cases very able men, honesty compels us to state that the majority are not intellectually on a par with the gentlemen, who served the city some few years ago. The same may be said in regard to other municipalities and towns in the county.

## After the Dinner.


(From Judge.)

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## CHEAP CRITICISM.

The Middlesex County Tribune, is the name of a paper that has just been started with the purpose of furnishing county news, and covering the whole county. There is a field for such a paper, but to make it worth public patronage would involve a vast amount of work, and a great deal of expense. Many residents of Middlesex would like to know something of county affairs, of the doings of county officials, the courts, county improvements, etc., and it is said to be the intention of the publishers to begin departments on these topics as soon as arrangements can be made. But this will be a work of time. This week, the paper has an article on "Newton Politicians," quoted elsewhere, which repeats the old cry that the present city officials are not the equals of those of a few years ago. This is the same parrot-like cry that has been heard ever since Newton became a city. Those who repeat it never stop to think whether it is true or not, and probably the writer does not know a member of the city council by sight. In the early days of the city's history we had good men in the city council, and we have good men now. Some of the former officials were exceptionally famous men, whose names were known far and wide, but as far as the majority are concerned the present city council will compare very favorably with any former board. To mention names would be invidious, perhaps, but let any one take the list of former city councils and compare members, and they will find that there is no great loss, either intellectually or otherwise. Besides, former city councils had a very easy task compared with the officials of to-day, whose labors are probably ten-fold those of the same officials ten years ago. The problems then were very simple, and there were then no street railway complications, no great grade crossings, no electric lights, no boulevards, and no great improvements of any kind. The ancient officials had an easy time, and yet there were more rumors of political deals, more subversion to political bosses, than there is to-day. The Newton city council can still claim to be "the cleanest and most representative" body of its kind in the state, and the city government is as "pure, non-partisan and business-like" as it ever was.

The Highways department asked Monday night for \$20,000 and got it, as they have about exhausted their appropriation. This is to be regretted, but the highway department have good excuses to offer, as the streets were left in a deplorable condition by the sewer department, and a great deal of their money has gone in repairing the numerous cavities that have occurred and which have resulted in many claims for damages against the city. The committee has spent its appropriations more generously in other respects, perhaps, than was strictly necessary, but they have not begun to satisfy the public demands, and they probably would not if they had expended twice their appropriation. Ward Four has been persistent in its demands for improved roads, and they are needed there badly enough, although more people complain of Auburn street than of Lexington street, where the residents want ten thousand expended right away. The committee probably find it a hard task to decide where repairs are the most urgently needed, and as Auburndale has the chairman of the committee it naturally thinks it ought to have everything it asks for, but it is said that other portions of the ward are beginning to get a little jealous of the attention paid to the vicinity of Lexington street. Exceeding the appropriations for the sake of improving the roads will not be condemned so harshly as if the excess was for some other purpose, for improved roads is just now the fad with the great majority of people. It is to be hoped, however, that the committee will not spend all of the money they have secured on one street, which is not the most travelled street in Newton, but will scatter it impartially. Watertown street, between Walnut and West Newton, for instance, is probably in a worse condition than Lexington street, and is traversed by many times more teams and people, and will be a main thoroughfare until Washington street is widened. There are other main thoroughfares, also, that might be mentioned.

Not all the women of Newton are suffragists and a prominent member of the women's clubs of Newton protests

against identifying the clubs with the suffrage movement, in an article in another column, and states her belief that woman suffrage would be a useless burden, as the women can get anything they want now. Evidently the anti-suffragists will be heard from in the coming campaign, and a little opposition will make everything more lively.

THE WALTHAM FREE PRESS says that the delegates to the state convention from that city are for Greenhalgh, and a bare majority of the senatorial delegates are A. P. A. men, and will support Dr. Niles. The others are for Mr. Bradford. Evidently the fight over Senator will be a hot one. In Watertown, it is claimed that the A. P. A. carried everything.

ANOTHER demand for a new school building is made, and the city might as well make up its mind to spend a good many thousands before it gets through. At a special meeting of the school board, Wednesday evening, resolutions were adopted, condemning the sanitary condition of the old portion of the High school building, and calling upon the city council to provide a new building of a size sufficient to accommodate 900 pupils.

GETTING plate matter for editorials has its disadvantages, as here is the Brookline Chronicle of last week printing the rumor that Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett is seeking a divorce from her husband, several days after the story had been emphatically denied. The Chronicle usually buys the Republican plate matter editorials, but perhaps the box failed to reach it this week, and so it used up some ancient plates.

THE Corporations that have been given the free use of the streets for poles and wires, are not to be allowed to own them, it seems, as the city council has voted that movers of buildings shall not be required to pay for cutting the wires, when it is necessary. Such gentle reminders serve a useful purpose, once in a while.

THE Republicans of Newton attended the caucuses this year in a body, and the result was that they chose delegates who will represent the party, and not a secret society. Newton's reputation of having the best public schools of any city in the state is thus again demonstrated.

## HILLS LIBRARY DEDICATED.

SUBSTANTIAL AND BEAUTIFUL ADDITION TO THE BUILDINGS OF THE NEWTON THEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE.

The new "Hills" library of the Newton Theological Institution at Newton Centre was dedicated with appropriate exercises this afternoon.

The ceremonies took place in the main hall of the new edifice, and were attended by large numbers of students and alumni of the institution and prominent people of Newton Centre.

The program consisted of an invocation; report of the building committee, Mr. Stephen Greene; address of the president of the board of trustees, Hon. William A. Monroe; response by the president of the institution, Rev. Alvah Hovey, D. D., LL. D.; singing, doxology, assembly; oration, Rev. N. E. Wood, D. D.; poem, Rev. Theron Brown; dedicatory prayer, Rev. J. W. T. Booth, D. D.; singing, original hymn, written for the occasion by Rev. S. F. Smith, D. D., author of "America"; benediction, Rev. R. J. Adams, D. D.

The new library building stands on the crown of Institution hill. It is a structure of attractive appearance, in the Greek type of architecture. The materials used in the construction are light brick with freestone trimmings. The exterior is quite plain. In front there is an ionic portico, flanked by two courts and windows separated by pilasters. It is two stories in height. In the ground story there is a stack room, reading room, printing plant, three study rooms, toilet apartments, and fireproof room containing the heating apparatus.

The main reading room is located on the first floor, and is to be known as the Harthorn memorial room. Its dimensions are 40x50 feet. It is named in honor of one of the principal donors to the library fund. The entrance vestibules are on this floor, also the librarian's room, offices, and another stack room.

The rooms of the Backus Historical Society are located on the second floor; also the Backus library room, toilet rooms and study apartments. The library has a capacity at the present time of 50,000 volumes, with opportunities for an increase of 25,000 additional volumes. The building was constructed from plans drawn by Kendall & Stevens of Boston, architects. The furnishings, principally in oak, were supplied by the library bureau.

Connected with the new library building, the board of trustees has completed the construction of a new central heating plant which will provide for all the seminary buildings. It cost \$13,000, the boilers and general fixtures were supplied by the Walworth Construction Company. The several seminary buildings have been thoroughly renovated, and altogether there has been an outlay of \$65,000 for new buildings and improvements. In Colby Hall provision has been made for an additional classroom.

The work has been completed in a satisfactory manner under the directions of the building committee, comprising Messrs. Stephen Greene, W. A. Monroe, and Rev. George E. Merrill.

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## DEMOCRATIC CAUCUSES.

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The Democratic caucuses in Newton last night were thinly attended, and very little interest was manifested. There was no contest, and it seemed to be accepted without question that Geo. Fred Williams was to receive the support of the state delegation, although no instructions were given. The senatorial delegates in Ward One were instructed to vote for Charles S. Ensign.

The delegates:  
Ward 1. State, John E. Briston, John J. Mahoney, R. J. Morrissey; councillor, E. O. Childs, T. J. Hartnett, Bruce R. Ware; county, George T. Coppins, R. N. Lyons, Charles H. McAleer; district attorney, Charles H. McAleer; senatorial, John Flood, D. J. Gallagher, Myles J. Joyce; representative, Edward J. Burke, F. H. Murray, Michael Rooney; ward and city committee, George T. Coppins, Bruce R. Ware, Richard J. Morrissey, Daniel J. Gallagher, Charles McAleer.

Ward 2. State, Samuel E. Bridges, Timothy O'Leary, A. G. Sullivan, L. H. Cranitch; councillor, J. E. McCabe, O. F. Clark, Henry P. Dearborn, Timothy O'Leary; county, P. C. Bridgman, G. M. Cranitch, G. E. Crocker, W. P. Dalton; representative, John J. Taylor, Peter P. Kelly, Edward J. Burke, J. H. Hovey; senatorial, E. P. Halloran, William Paul, Timothy O'Leary, James Hannan; ward and city committee, A. G. Sullivan, Timothy O'Leary, H. P. Dearborn, L. H. Cranitch, James McDuff.

Ward 3. State, F. C. Sheridan, Marcus Morton, E. S. Merchant, T. B. Fitzpatrick; councillor, W. E. Lawrence, Austin Kilburn, W. H. Bacon, Andrew Peters; county, Lawrence Bond, H. H. Hunt, John Hagedorn, Jr., Thomas J. Green; senatorial, George T. Lincoln, Clarence P. Hall, George Bailey, James R. Condon; representative, S. W. Davis, John Bellamy, Martin Gannon, John N. Gaw; ward and city committee, John Hagedorn, Lawrence Bond, Thomas J. Green, Frank C. Sheridan.

Ward 4. State, D. J. O'Donnell, Jeremiah Coleman; county, T. J. McCarthy, Daniel Walsh, C. F. Mealey, T. J. McCarthy; councillor, R. E. Lyall, J. O'Donnell, P. A. McVicar; district attorney, H. T. Knights, Bernard Early, E. H. Kenney; representative, Dr. F. W. Freeman, P. A. McVicar; ward and city committee, P. A. McVicar, John Dolan, T. J. Lyons, J. Coleman, E. H. Kenney.

Ward 5. State, Samuel Shaw, Dr. W. H. McOwen; councillor, T. W. Mullen, W. H. Kerrigan, John Glover; county, Thomas Mullen, Samuel Shaw, Edward Billings; district attorney, Samuel Shaw, John Glover, Dr. W. H. McOwen; representative, T. W. Mullen, Dr. W. H. McOwen; senatorial, Dr. W. H. McOwen; ward and city committee, W. H. Kerrigan, J. E. Connors, John Glover, Samuel Shaw, Edward Billings.

Ward 6. State, D. H. McWain, W. F. Woodman, W. R. Holt; same delegates for district attorney and representative; county, Samuel Shaw, Dr. W. H. McOwen; councillor, W. F. Woodman, S. A. Walker; same for county convention; senatorial, D. J. Linnahan, P. M. Shields, J. N. Hill; ward and city committee, W. F. Woodman, D. F. Flannigan, Frank Kneeland, D. H. McWain, W. R. Holt.

Ward 7. State, H. H. Hovey, W. J. Follett; councillor, A. C. Mudge, J. N. Keller; county, H. C. Camp, Andrew Hahn; district attorney, Jesse C. Ivy, Winfield S. Hutchinson; senatorial, Dr. F. W. Webster, J. W. Hahn; representative, George Linder, J. E. Farrell; ward and city committee, W. J. Follett, H. C. Camp, George Linder, J. W. Hahn, F. H. Hovey.

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WEVANT-HOWE—At Newton, Sept. 16, Hiram H. Wevant and Theodora Lillian Howe.

GANLEY-LEEHAN—At West Newton, Sept. 12, John Ganley and Ellen Leehan.

WELSH-FINNEY—At Newton, Sept. 25, John T. Welsh and Annie Finney.

GOVE-GOVE—At Haverhill, Sept. 25, Abiah R. Gove and Gove of Newton to Eva Gove of Haverhill.

BEARDSLEY-ELLIS—At Auburndale, Sept. 25, Heber Dunbar Beardsley and Eubelene Rose Ellis.

BURGESS-SLADE—At Brookline, Sept. 25, by Rev. F. H. Hornbrook, Theodore Phillips Burgess and Elizabeth Slade of Chestnut Hill.

ORRISAN-SULLIVAN—At Newton, Sept. 21, Stephen Orrisan and Catherine Sullivan.

SWEET-MURPHY—At Upper Falls, Sept. 25, Chas. Gustave Sweet and Mary Ellen Murphy.

## DIED.

SHERIDAN—At Nonantum, Sept. 23, Catherine Sheridan, 11 yrs. 8 mos.

EDDES—At Newton Upper Falls, Sept. 22, Abiah Edes, 36 yrs. 8 mos.

KNAPP—At Upper Falls, Sept. 20, Hira A. Knapp, 74 yrs.

FISHER—At Nonantum, Sept. 22, Benjamin Fisher, 2 mos.

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A certain piece or parcel of land, with the building thereon, situated in that part of said Newton called Newton Highlands, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Center Street 115'-nine and 610 (69 610) feet. Easterly by Walnut Street ninety (90) feet. Southerly by lot three (3) on a plan hereinafter described fifty-four and 1 (54 1-4) feet. Westerly by lot two (2) on said plan, eighty-one and 1 (81 1-4) feet. Being lot numbered on a plan drawn by Marshall S. Rice surveyor dated Oct. 10, 1874 and duly recorded to the said John P. Keating by said John P. Nichols of even date herewith. \$200 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

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—Pianos rented and tuned, Farley, Newton.

—Mrs. Stonemetz and daughter are making a stay at Brant Rock.

—Mrs. Calvert Craig of Kimball terrace is entertaining friends from New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Puffer have returned from their European tour, having passed the summer in travel.

—Mrs. Edward Sands and son are at home, having passed several weeks at the Crawford House.

—Mr. D. J. Ferguson of Natick is moving the house owned by Dr. Levi Parker to a position on Newtonville avenue.

—Miss Minnie Hunt of Grove Hill avenue has returned from a short stay in Providence.

—Mr. Austin R. Mitchell and family of Walnut street are at home, having passed the summer at Pond Spings.

—Miss Annie Payson Call is at home, having passed several months amid the wonders of Europe.

—Rev. John Worcester and daughter are at home, having passed the warm season at Intervale, N. H.

—Mr. W. French and family of Newtonville avenue are at home after several weeks stay at East Jaffrey, N. H.

—Mr. Chas. Dennison and family of Walnut street have returned from several weeks stay at West Falmouth.

—Postmaster Turner and family of Court street have returned from a two weeks stay at Jefferson Highlands, N. H.

—Mr. A. R. Mitchell's house, corner of Walnut and Austin streets, has been leased to Mr. Carter, a former resident.

—Rev. F. E. Hamilton will begin on Oct. 13 a series of Sunday evening talks on Travel to Young people.

—Mrs. G. F. Elliott fell down stairs at her home on Lowell street last Thursday night, breaking her hip and sustaining other severe injuries.

—Sir Knight F. L. Nagle has been presented with a handsome gold badge by Gethsemane commandery, for his services as drill master.

—Mr. H. L. Cook sold his residence, corner of Edgely and Washington streets, to Mr. E. T. Wilson, who has removed the same to a lot on Parsons street.

—Mr. H. F. Ross was the purchaser of one of the houses on Washington street near Bellevue. The house was removed to Lowell street near Walnut.

—Mr. Edward P. Call, a former resident here, has returned to his home in Philadelphia, having been the guest of his sister for several days.

—There are letters in the postoffice for Mrs. E. F. Collier, Frank Hall, D. T. Magill, Miss Nellie McNamara, J. E. Stover, Miss Hattie S. Tarr, Arthur B. White.

—Capt. C. E. Davis was presented with a beautiful and costly gold commandery badge by members of the Gethsemane Commandery, Knights Templar, at the meeting Tuesday evening.

—Mr. Alfred Rand of Pond avenue, while at work in Ross's mill, caught his hand in the irregular moulder, severely cutting his hand and fingers. He was taken to the hospital, where his wounds were dressed.

—Rev. F. E. Hamilton has been appointed to deliver an address upon "The New Patriotism" at the New England Convention of Epworth Leagues to be held at St. Johnsbury, Vt., Oct. 2nd and 3rd.

—A block is in the course of erection on the corner of Walnut street and Newtonville avenue by Dr. Levi Parker. The building will contain several stores and offices and it is expected to be ready for occupancy by Jan. 1.

—At the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday, preaching both morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. Franklin Hamilton. Morning topic, 10:45, "The Sinner and the Shepherd." Evening topic, 7:30, "The Civic Duty." Special music in the evening. All seats free.

—The work of excavation for the cellar of the second of the new business blocks to be erected by the Newton Associates was begun this week. The site is the old Dennison estate, corner of Walnut and Washington streets. The block is to be a handsome structure of yellow brick containing six stories on the ground floor with handsomely finished offices above. Several of the stores and offices have already been rented and will be finished to suit the taste and needs of the respective tenants. It is expected that the building will be completed by the first of the new year.

—The new carhouse of the Newton & Boston Street Railroad Company on Homer street, is about completed. It replaces the one destroyed by fire a few months ago. The new building is a brick structure, it is over 200 feet in length, and is wide enough for four tracks. Accommodations are provided for 34 cars. There is some talk of building an additional section to provide room for the cars of the new Commonwealth avenue boulevard line. The latter has no connection with the Newton & Boston company. It is understood, however, that the plan of the joint use of the carhouse meets the approval of the officials of the Commonwealth Avenue company, as the location is convenient and the expense would be considerably less than it would be to provide a separate building.

—The calmness and serenity that generally reigns in Omar Terrace was sadly broken by the death of one of its residents, early Monday morning, in the neighborhood being the more surprised, as the said resident is noted for his quiet and gentlemanly demeanor. The story is easily explained in the following verse:

Just past the hour of midnight,  
In Edwin Stanton's house,  
So softly, and so silently,  
There crept a little mouse.

Now Edwin owns a large black cat  
That roams about the house,  
And in the stillness of the night  
The cat sprang for a mouse.

They say that frozen pudding with,  
And wedding cake without,  
Will make you dream most horrible,  
Will make you yell and shout.

The cat jumped through the beaded screen,  
Right before his eyes;  
Our dreamer cleared the foot board,  
"My kingdom for a gun!"

Brave Gunnison now heard the noise  
And jumped out of bed,  
While brother Eustis o'er the way  
Yelled "Help!" till his throat grew red.

By this time Omar Terrace  
Was clad in robes of white,  
While the cry of "Murder!" "Thief!" and  
"Help!" broke the stillness of the night.

But all the while this jet black cat  
Was playing with the mouse,  
Unconscious of the sudden fright  
That ran from house to house.

Your friends can't forget, George,  
Your nightmare and the cat,  
And they all expect a dish of cream,  
Or something else like that.

—At 7 o'clock last evening occurred the marriage of Miss Fannie Maria, daughter of Mrs. Oliver Brown Leavitt, and Mr. Frederick Arns Barrett of Saratoga Springs, at the residence of the bride's mother, 91 Washington Park. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ira A. Priest, pastor of the Universalist church, in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The bride was elaborately decorated with potted plants, palms and choice roses. The bride was gowned in white satin, with duchess lace garbure, and wore a long tulle veil. She carried a bouquet of long roses. The maid of honor, Miss Addie B.

Leavitt, sister of the bride, wore pink silk. Her bouquet was made up of white roses. The ushers were Mr. Frank L. Tainter, Mr. M. A. Buxton of this place, and Mr. Percy Ray of Faneuil. A reception followed the ceremony, attended by about 300 guests from New York, Brookline, Wellesley and the Newtons. During the formal presentation of guests an orchestra rendered choice selections. The presents were numerous and costly. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Barrett will reside in Newtonville, where they will be at home Wednesday in November.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Miller pianos, Farley, Newton.

—Mr. C. S. Daniels has leased a house on Henshaw street.

—Mr. James Trefrey has returned from a two weeks stay in Nova Scotia.

—Mr. Arthur Hosmer will move to his new house on Hillside avenue, Oct. 1.

—Mr. Albert Metcalf and family have returned from their European trip.

—Mrs. J. H. Kelly of Boston was the guest of relatives here this week.

—Miss Minerva Adams of Allston has returned to her home after a month's visit to her aunt, Mrs. P. Ryan of River street.

—Miss Carrie Covett, who has passed the summer travelling with friends in Europe, sailed for home yesterday.

—Rev. Brooke Hereford of London will occupy the pulpit at the Unitarian church next Sunday.

—Excavation for the cellar of the new school house on Chestnut street was begun this week.

—Rev. Brooke Herford, D. D., of London will occupy the pulpit in the Unitarian church next Sunday morning.

—Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Jaynes sailed for home, Wednesday, from Liverpool. They expect to reach home next Friday.

—Rev. Dr. Bachelder of the Unitarian Association of Boston occupied the pulpit at the Unitarian church last Sunday.

—Mr. H. L. Farebrother will occupy the Stewart house on Greenwood avenue, after Oct. 1.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Palmer of Berkley street have returned from a stay in the Berkshire Hills.

—C. W. Cobb has been elected secretary of his class at Amherst, an honor, always going to only a popular member.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitmore are at home, having passed several weeks in Nova Scotia.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Franklin Fuller have returned from several weeks stay in New Hampshire.

—Mrs. J. L. Damon and daughter are at home, having passed several weeks at the mountains.

—Messrs. Edward and Leonard Seeton have returned from several weeks stay in New Hampshire.

—Mr. F. H. Sleeper and family of Chestnut street have returned from their summer home in Jaffrey, N. H.

—Mrs. Samuel Langley of Lander street has returned from a two weeks stay in Providence.

—Mr. David Conant has returned from the G. A. R. encampment at Louisville, Kentucky.

—Mr. Frank Sprague and family of Temple street are at home, having passed the summer at Barnstable.

—Mr. Charles D. Davis and family have returned from their summer home at Lincoln, Me.

—Mrs. E. A. Thayer of Brookline is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Fred L. Thayer of Waltham street.

—The annual meeting of the Newton Ladies' Home Circle will be held in the Unitarian church parlors, Wednesday, Oct. 2 at 2 p. m.

—Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Charlotte Harper and Mr. Adelbert A. Foster on Wednesday evening, Oct. 2.

—The Ladies Guild connected with the Congregational church will hold the first meeting of the season next Wednesday afternoon.

—Among the returns this week were Mr. A. F. Luke and family, Mr. R. S. Gorham and family, Mr. E. C. Fletcher and family and Mr. H. B. Day and family.

—The first meeting of the season of the West Newton branch of the W. C. T. U., was held Tuesday afternoon at the residence of the president, Mrs. Richard Rowe of Shaw street. Plans were proposed for the winter's work. Mrs. S. N. Waters and Mrs. E. E. Burdon were appointed as delegates to the state convention, which will be held in the near future.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley, Newton.

—Mrs. Hutchinson of Winona street is reported quite ill.

—Mrs. Benson has returned from a trip to New York.

—Mr. C. H. Sprague and family have returned to Lenox street, West Newton.

—Mrs. C. A. Kingman of Central street has gone to Montreal.

—Next Sunday will be rally Sunday at the Methodist church.

—It is rumored that a new millinery store is to be opened in the vacant store in Miller's block.

—Loring Bunker attended the annual field day of the First Regiment at Fall River Monday.

—Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Julia Cole of this place and Mr. Yarnall of Philadelphia.

—Mr. Louis P. Ober and family have closed their summer residence at Islington and removed to Boston.

—Dr. Peloubet and family have returned from Waterville, N. H., where they have been spending the summer.

—Mr. Abrahams and family are occupying Mrs. Winslow's house on Woodbine street.

—Mr. C. R. Brown and family have recently taken the Coffin house on Central street.

—A party of ladies of the Newton Home Circle visited the Soldier's Home at Chelsea Wednesday.

—Miss Kate M. Plummer has returned from Chicago and resumed her teaching of the piano and organ.

—Miss Marion Chapin played the organ at the Methodist church, last Sunday evening, in a very acceptable manner.

—The wedding of Miss Helen F. Johnson and Mr. Charles Almy will occur Wednesday evening at the home of the bride on Vista avenue.

—The part of the railroad bridge which has been closed while undergoing repairs, was reopened yesterday morning for travel.

—Sergeant Purcell and Officer Quilty went to Allston Sunday night to recover a bicycle stolen from the Waltham track June 17. It seems that Charles McGregor, an account of whose escapades appears elsewhere, stole the bicycle at Allston and disposed of it for horse and team, which he used in his business, to a man who sold the bike for \$40. The officers returned the horse and wagon to its former owner. The last man who rode

the wheel is \$40 out as its former owner who lives in Providence came after it yesterday.

—The first meeting of the Review Club will be held at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Cooley on Central street, Tuesday morning, Oct. 1st, at 10 o'clock.

—Rev. Mr. Southgate will be installed November 1st as pastor of the Congregational church, to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of the Rev. Calvin Cutler.

—The Girls' Friendly Society of the Church of the Messiah will hold their next meeting on Wednesday evening at the house of Mrs. Bunker. There will be a talk by the rector.

—Sunday School Rally Day will be observed next Sunday at the Methodist church. A varied service will take the place of the quarterly review lesson. The school will meet in the church auditorium at 12 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

—There are letters in the postoffice for Mr. Henry Bradley, Dr. Amelia Gilbert, Edwin Lumb, Esq., J. M. Sears, Esq., Mr. T. C. St. John, Mr. W. M. Woods, Mrs. Brickett, Miss Annie Brown, Mrs. A. M. Cleaves, Annie Ellis, Mrs. Edwin Fayne, Mrs. Fred Gladden, Miss N. Griffin, Miss Mary Lidlstone, Rev. G. Lyons, Mrs. K. R. Rouse, Miss Belle Rinley and Mary Solan.

—John and Mary Fory, sister and brother, whose home is on Pine street, have been removed to the Newton Hospital. The pair are most respectable citizens of this place and have lived here many years. They were getting well along in years and for their own good they were taken in charge by St. Bernard's Aid Society who thought their removal to the hospital advisable.

—A service in memory of the late Mrs. Susan J. Steele, wife of Rev. Dr. G. M. Steele, was held at the Methodist church in this place on Sunday evening last. Mrs. C. H. Hanford spoke for the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Mrs. Dr. Peloubet for the W. C. T. U., and Rev. Dr. H. H. Elia, who had been for many years an intimate friend of the family, delivered the principal memorial tribute.

—The Methodist church was filled last Sunday evening at the memorial service for Mrs. S. J. Steele, wife of Rev. Dr. G. M. Steele, with friends and loved ones. A trio of the latter sang finely two selections. Rev. Dr. Elia of Natick, Mrs. F. N. Peloubet of Auburndale and Mrs. R. C. H. Hanford of Boston spoke fittingly of her noble character and her missionary and temperance work. When Miss Frances Willard was selected president of the W. C. T. U. it was first offered Mrs. Steele, but she declined. W. Bishop, her pastor, presided and Rev. Dr. F. N. Peloubet offered prayer.

—The smash-up on the B. & N. near the depot, Saturday afternoon, caused quite a little excitement. Two freight cars attached to a caboose were standing under the bridge while the other part of the train was shifting in the freight yard, when suddenly an inward bound freight rounded the curve and dashed into them, carrying them a distance of 300 feet and completely demolished them. The force was so great that part of the iron work under the bridge was badly damaged. The work of clearing the tracks occupied some little time as the wreckage was strewn all about the yard, both the locals and expresses. It is said that the brakeman was not out far enough to give the engineer of the approaching train sufficient time to brake to a stop, or others it is claimed that the engineer did not see the warning signal until too late.

—Through a very clever piece of detective work by Officer Quilty, Charles Wiggins, a lad of 12 years, recovered his bicycle stolen from the Riverside depot Tuesday afternoon of last week. Ernie Garland, 13 years of age, the wayward youth who purloined the machine, had been visiting in Natick and was returning from a ride to Somerville when he spied the wheel, which is valued at \$25, leaning against the tunnel. Knowing that the distance to Somerville was quite a long one and not seeing the owner about he jumped on and rode to Somerville. Officer Quilty was put in charge of the case and it didn't take him long to find out where the wheel was. By the following Friday young Garland was in custody and key. The officer ascertained that though young in life Garland has a checkered career, having been charged with other like misdemeanors. Judge Kennedy sent the youth to the Lyman school at Westboro where he will enjoy the discipline of that institution for some time to come.

## Lasell Notes.

Dr. Mara L. Pratt's lectures on Mental Physiology began on Friday.

Miss Mabel Cogswell, a graduate of Lasell, returns this year as librarian and assistant in the laboratory.

John S. Howard, the Shakespearean impersonator, will give a recitation of Hamlet, at Lasell, next Thursday evening at 7.15. Friends invited.

On Saturday evening the gymnasium, brilliantly lighted, was the scene of a pleasant reception tendered by the old pupils to the new ones. The very day were bright and happy looking faces, and the chatter and laughter betokened that mutual acquaintance was rapidly being made. Cakes and cream were served at 8:30, and at 9:15 the company dispersed to "talk it over" in their several rooms.

An impressive and beautiful memorial service was held on Sunday evening in the M. E. church of the village, in honor of Mrs. G. M. Steele, lately deceased. The school attended in body. Dr. Steele being one of Lasell's most beloved teachers, and his wife personally known to a number of the pupils. Misses Conlin, Baker and Burroughs sang several hymns during the course of the service.

On Monday took place the first excursion of the season, the number of those who went being, however, somewhat less than usual, by reason of the extreme heat. A Newport, under the conduct of Prof. Rich, nine went; a second nine to Nantasket, with Prof. Bragdon; and twenty-two to Bunker Hill in the afternoon with the same leader.

## WABAN.

—Miss Fannie McGee returned Saturday from her summer's outing.

—Mr. Geo. M. Angier is building a house on Pine Ridge road.

—Miss Smith is making a four months visit at Chicago.

—Mrs. Wm. Saville has been spending the past two weeks at New Haven, Conn.

—Mrs. J. E. Morse returned last Sunday from the West where she was called suddenly on account of the death of her sister.

—Mr. Mason Morse has returned to his home in Shelburne Falls. During his stay in town he has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Childs.

—Mr. George Stronach, who has held the position of station agent here since the depot was first opened, has now withdrawn from his position. His successor is Mr. Hayden of Newton Centre.

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## Saturday's Races.

The ten mile handicap race which is to decide the championship of Newton and Watertown will come off to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The start will be made from the corner of Crafts and Watertown streets, from thence to Waltham, to Watertown, to Walnut, three laps from this point, making it a four lap race. The finish will be on Watertown street at a point 100 yards above Walnut, toward West Newton. Those who have entered should call for their numbers as soon as possible, at W. A. Hodgdon's, 326 Centre street. This will save a great deal of time and prevent any delay at the start. Following is the list of prizes with the names of their respective donors: First prize, silver watch, executive committee; second, third, fourth and fifth, pneumatic tires from the manufactory of Boston Woven Hose Co., Newton Rubber Works, Diamond Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio, Morgan & Wright, Chicago. The first man of these four coming in, to have his choice of makes, the second man his of the remaining three, and so on: sixth prize, sweater, Wright & Dison; seventh, pace indicator, J. F. Morse; eighth, racing saddle, Newton Stanley; ninth, pair of racing pedals, Orient Manfg. Co.; tenth, racing shoes, Thompson & Howes; eleventh, racing shoes, E. E. Barnes; twelfth, pair patent leather pumps, J. McCammon; thirteenth, pneumatic pads, Arthur Hudson; fourteenth, safety razor, Barber Bros.; fifteenth, box of cigars, C. O. Tucker; sixteenth, pneumatic pump, B. B. Emery; seventeenth, combination set, toe clips, pant guards and bells, Carter Robinson; eighteenth, bottle of perfume, B. B. Emery; nineteenth, bicycle, B. B. Emery; twentieth, belt, C. H. Campbell.

The official handicap list is as follows: Scratch—H. Fogwell, S. Morse, L. Enholm.

2nd seconds—P. Morse, P. F. Noonan, J. A. Small, D. O'Connell.

1 minute—Charles Barrows, J. B. Keith, P. C. Hahn, John S. Shaughnessy, F. S. Haskell.

1 m. 30 s.—W. N. Pratt, W. B. Keith, F. G. Phelps, F. A. Nimmo, T. O'Connell, W. Hayes.

2 m.—R. McCammon, G. Butler, J. E. Jones, J. Goodwin, F. H. Meyer, F. Johnson.

2 m. 30 s.—J. Holmes, Albert Durtie, Carl Enholm, E. H. Butler.

3 m.—J. E. Nichol, A. D. Field, F. B. Hornbrook, J. H. McCammon, L. Presie, J. F. Kelly, A. H. Parks, H. Sinnott.

3 m. 30 s.—C. Allen, S. Coleman, J. H. Russell, J. Garraughy, E. Nevins, S. McDonald, J. Curry, J. P. Glynn.

4 m.—J. W. McElroy, F. B. Barlow, Oscar Erickson.

4 m. 30 s.—W. H. Hill, B. Kilburn, W. F. Davis, W. D. Shaugnessy.

5 m.—E. C. Hill.

6 m.—W. P. Johnson, Fred Smith.

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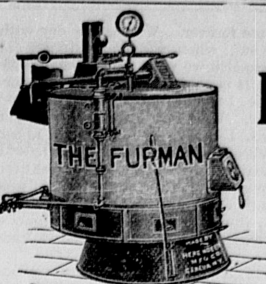
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Philip M. C. Hines late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to HENRY J. FICUS, Executor.  
33 Cedar St., Somerville.  
September 8, 1895.

## FINIS.

Love, bearing many burdens through the world,  
Came to the place where burdens are laid down.  
Smiling she stretched her patient hands for more.  
"These things are past," said one, "take now thy crown!"  
Love, always humble, when most beautiful,  
Drew back, as if such guerdon to deplore,  
To whom the rosy angel softly sighed,  
"The crown of loving is to love the more."  
—C. M. Packard in Youth's Companion.

## THE CAR GHOST.

All draped with blue denim—the seaside cottage of my friend, Sara Pyne. She asked me to go there with her when she opened it to have it set in order for the summer. She confessed that she felt a trifle nervous at the idea of entering it alone. And I am always ready for an excursion. So much blue denim rather surprised me, because blue is not complimentary to Sarah's complexion—she always wears some shade of red, by preference. She perceived my wonder; she is very nearsighted, and therefore sees everything, by some sort of sixth sense.

"You do not like my portieres and curtains and table covers," said she. "Neither do I. But I did it to accommodate. And now he rests well in his grave, I hope."

"Whose grave, for pity's sake?"  
"Mr. J. Billington Price's."  
"And who is he? He doesn't sound interesting."

"Then I will tell you about him," said Sara, taking a seat directly in front of one of those curtains. "Last autumn I was leaving this place for New York, traveling on the fast express train known as the Flying Yankee. Of course I thought of the Flying Dutchman and Wagner's musical setting of the uncanny legend, and how different things are in these days of steam, etc. Then I looked out of the window at the landscape, the horizon that seemed to wheel in a great curve as the train sped. Every now and then I had an impression at the 'tail of the eye' that a man was sitting in a chair three or four numbers in front of me on the opposite side of the car. Each time that I saw this shape I looked at the chair and ascertained that it was unoccupied. But it was an odd trick of vision. I raised my lorgnette, and the chair showed emptier than before. There was nobody in it certainly. But the more I knew that it was vacant the more plainly I saw the man, always with the corner of my eye. It made me nervous."

"When passengers entered the car, I dreaded lest they might take that seat. What would happen if they should? A bag was put in the chair—that made me uncomfortable. The bag was removed at the next station. Then a baby was placed in the seat. It began to laugh as though some one had gently tickled it. There was something odd about that chair—13 was its number. When I looked away from it, the impression was strong upon me that some person sitting there was watching me."

"Really, it would not do to humor such fancies. So I touched the electric button, asked the porter to bring me a table, and taking from my bag a pack of cards proceeded to divert myself with a game of patience. I was puzzling to put a seven of spades. 'Where can it go?' I murmured to myself. A voice behind me prompted, 'Play the four of diamonds on the five, and you can do it.' I started. The only occupants of the car besides me were a bridal couple, a mother with three little children and a typical preacher of one of the strictest sects. Who had spoken? 'Play up the four, madam,' repeated the voice. I looked fearfully over my shoulder. A first I saw a bluish cloud, like cigar smoke, but inodorous. Then the vision cleared, and I saw a young man whom I knew by a subtle intuition to be the occupant, seen and not seen, of chair No. 13. Evidently he was a traveling salesman—and a ghost. Of course a drummer's ghost sounds ridiculous—they're so extremely alive! Or else you would expect a dead drummer to be particularly dead and not 'walk.' This was a most commonplace looking ghost, cordial, pushing, businesslike. At the same time his face had an expression of utter despair and horror which made him still more preposterous. Of course it is not nice to let a stranger speak to one, even on so impersonal a topic as a four of diamonds. But a ghost—there can't be any rule of etiquette about talking with a ghost! My dear, it was dreadful. That forward creature showed me how to play all the cards and then begged me to lay them out again, in order that he might give me some clever points. I was too much amazed and disturbed to speak; I could only place the cards at his suggestion. This I did so as not to appear to be listening to the empty air and be supposed to be a crazy woman. Presently the ghost spoke again and told me his story."

"Madam," he said, "I have been riding back and forth on this car ever since Feb. 22, 1890—seven months and 11 days. All this time I have not exchanged a word with any one. For a drummer that is pretty hard, you may believe. You know the story of the Flying Dutchman? Well, that is very nearly my case. A curse is upon me and will not be removed until some kind soul—But I'm getting ahead of my text. That day there were four of us, traveling for different houses. One of the boys was in wool, one in baking powder, one in boots and shoes and myself in cotton goods. We met on the road, took seats together and fell into talking shop. Those fellows told big lies about their sales. Washington's birthday though it was. The baking powder man raised the amount of the bills of goods which he had sold better than a whole can of his stuff could have done. I admitted the straight truth, that I had not yet been able to make a sale. And then I swore—not in a light minded, chipper style of verbal trifling, but a great, round, heaven defying oath—that I would sell a case of blue denim on that trip if it

took me forever. We became dry with talk, and when the train stopped at Rivermouth we went out to have some beer. It is good there, you know—pardon me, I forgot that I was speaking to a lady. Well, we had to run to get aboard. I missed my footing, fell under the wheels, and the next thing that I knew they were holding an inquest over my remains, while I, disembodied, was sitting on a corner of the undertaker's table, wondering which of the corner's jury was likely to want a case of blue denim."

"Then I remembered my wicked oath and understood that I was a soul doomed to wander until I could succeed in selling that bill of goods. I spoke once or twice, offering the denim under value, but nobody noticed me. Verdict: Accidental death, by negligence of deceased. Railroad corporation not to blame. Deceased got out for beer at his own risk. The other drummers took charge of the remains and wrote a beautiful letter to my relatives about my social qualities and my impressive conversation. I wish it had been less impressive that time. I might have lied about my sales, or I might have said that I hoped for better luck. But after that oath there was nothing for it. Back and forth, back and forth, on this road, in chair No. 13, to all eternity. Nobody suspects my presence. They sit on my knees—I'm playing in luck when it is a nice baby, as it was this afternoon! They pile wraps, bags, even railway literature on me. They play cards under my nose—and what duffers some of them are! You, madam, are the first person who has perceived me, and therefore I ventured to speak to you, meaning no offense. I can see that you are sorry for me. Now, if you recall the story of the Flying Dutchman, he was saved by the charity of a good woman. In fact, Santa married him. Now I'm not asking anything of that size. I see that you wear a wedding ring, and no doubt you make some man's happiness. I wasn't a marrying man myself and naturally am not a marrying ghost. And that has nothing to do with the matter anyway. But if you could—I don't suppose you would have any use for them—but if you were disposed to do a turn of good, solid Christian charity—I should be everlastingly grateful, and you may have that case of denim at \$72.50. And that quality is quoted today at \$80. Does it go, madam?"

"The speech of the poor ghost was not very eloquent, but his eyes had an intense, eager glare which was terrible. Something—pity, fear, I do not know what—compelled me. I decided to do without that white and gold evening cloak. Instead I gave \$72.50 to the ghost and took from him a receipt for the sum, signed J. Billington Price. Then he smiled contentedly, thanked me with emotion and returned to chair No. 13. Several times on the journey, although I did not perceive him again, I felt dazed. When the train arrived at New York and I, with the other passengers, disembarked, it seemed to me that a strong hand passed under my elbow, steadying me down the steps. As I walked the length of the station my bag—not heavy at any time—appeared to become weightless. I believe that the parlor car ghost walked beside me carrying the bag, whose handle still remained in my other hand. Indeed once or twice I thought I felt the touch of cold fingers against mine. Since then I have no reason to suppose that the poor ghost is not at rest. I hope he is."

"But I never expected or wished for the blue denim. The next day, however, a dray belonging to a great wholesale house backed up to our door and delivered a case of denim, with a receipted bill for the same. What was I to do? I could not go about selling blue denim. I could not give them away without exciting comment. So I furnished the cottage with them, and you know the effect on my complexion. Pity me, dear! And credit me, frivolous woman as I am, with having saved a soul at the expense of my own vanity. My story is told. What do you think about it?"—Elizabeth Pullen in New York Advertiser.

**Fire Apparatus in the American Colonies.**  
The early settlers in America paid no attention toward protecting themselves against fire, and the different colonies had grown into fair sized communities with several industries well established before any steps were taken in that direction. About the earliest mention of a definite method of fire protection was made at Salem, Mass., in 1644, when each inhabitant was ordered to be supplied with a ladder under penalty of a fine of 5 shillings. These ladders were undoubtedly made in Salem or in the immediate vicinity, and one might readily say that here began an American industry that is now carried on so extensively in many places and under a multitude of different forms. In 1648 four fire wardens were appointed in New York city. These men passed a law to fine every one whose chimney became foul or whose house was burned by his own carelessness. The money so obtained was to be used in the purchase of ladders, hooks and buckets. These were not provided, however, until some years later.

Boston also took steps in this direction, and on the first day of the twelfth month of 1653, or, by the modern method of computation, on Feb. 1, 1654, the following entry is found in the town records:  
"The selectmen have power and liberty hereby to agree with Joseph Jynks for Engines to Carry water in Case of fire if they see Cause soe to doe."—John G. Morse in Popular Science Monthly.

**An Ole Bull Statue.**  
Jacob Fjelde, the Norwegian sculptor of Minneapolis, has been selected to design a statue of Ole Bull, the famous violinist. Norwegians all over the United States are to be asked to subscribe to a fund to meet the expenses of erecting the memorial, which will be of bronze, and will be placed in Minnehaha park, or one of the other parks in the city of Minneapolis.

## BURGLARS IN COURT.

PRETENDED TO BE GASFITTERS AND MADE RAIDS IN ALL DIRECTIONS.

Charles E. McGregor and John C. Newcomb were arraigned in the Newton police court Monday morning, charged with breaking and entering and larceny.

They were arrested last Friday evening, and their shop near "nightcap's corner" was searched by the Newton police and Inspector Paige of the Brookline department.

They were supposed to be conducting a legitimate gas fitting business, but suspicion was directed toward them, and a number of "queer" transactions were discovered in which the pair figured.

The police went quietly to work and procured evidence connecting them with breaks in Wellesley, Cambridge, Brookline, Brighton and Auburndale. It was proven beyond reasonable doubt that they were also responsible for the larceny of a bicycle in Malden.

When the police searched the place of business conducted by Newcomb & McGregor they found a quantity of carpenter's and plumbers' tools, and another lot of tools was discovered in the cellar, valued at about \$75.

The bicycle was subsequently recovered in Alston. McGregor swapped it for a horse and express wagon, and the former owner of the latter sold the wheel to W. H. Gillis, who was greatly surprised to learn that it had been stolen.

The investigation conducted in the bicycle case led to the unravelling of the very crooked career of the two men.

When placed under arrest they admitted their guilt, and both appeared to realize the gravity of their offences. They made a full confession.

It seemed that they secured from the store of John McComman in Auburndale shoes valued at \$50; from a house in Wellesley, tools valued at \$50; from the residence and store of Mrs. Grant, Cambridge, cigars, pipes and tobacco valued at \$25; house in Brookline, plumbers' tools worth \$125; the property of Franklin Bros. of Boston; house on Dustin street, Brighton, plumbers' tools valued at \$75.

All the tools stolen were recovered. Of the other articles, a portion of the shoes, cigars, etc., will be restored to their owners. The men were arraigned only on two counts for the breaks in Wellesley and Auburndale. They pleaded guilty, and were held in \$2100 each for the October grand jury.

Following the disposition of the cases against the men, the police had a time distributing the stolen property to those who were able to establish ownership.

A. G. Bartley of Maple, Pa., writes: I feel it a duty of mine to inform you and the public that Dr. Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me of a very bad case of eczema. It also cured my boy of a running sore on his leg. Arthur Hudson, Newton; Bernard Billings, Newton Upper Falls; Walter P. Thorn, Auburndale.

## A Tender Hearted Motorman.

In the fading, rosy light of a summer day, we were speeding along through the delightful suburbs of one of our large cities, in that convenient invention of man, the electric car, amid the clanging of gong and the peal of recording bell, while the swift motion brought refreshment after an exhausting day.

Near the roadside stood an empty carriage, bereft of horse and owner, and as I idly noted the fact, the car came to a sudden standstill to take on new passengers, and with the cessation of accompanying sound and motion, pitiful cries of baby distress were distinctly heard on the sill, right next. A moment's glance into the gathering twilight revealed the situation at once.

An unguarded little child had attempted to mount the steps of the inviting carriage, perchance to revel for a while in childish dreams of "a chariot and four," but tiny feet and slippers had been clinging hopelessly to the vehicle, while tears and sobs told of the terror filling the little heart.

A few rapid strides from car to carriage brought our motorman in an instant's time to baby's relief, and with such tender, comforting words of assurance and endearment did he lift the little burden in his strong arms, that I questioned "Can she belong to him?"

Quickly depositing the child in the arms of the mother, who had appeared on the scene, the man hastily returned to his deserted post, and was ready for the start. It was the work of barely a moment's time, but showed so plainly the tender heart of the strong man beneath the rough exterior, that the kindly act appealed to many sympathetic hearts, and the round of applause, which unexpectedly greeted his return to the platform, must have expressed to him more forcibly than words our unspoken thanks for his thoughtfulness of a little child's comfort, and our immediate recognition of the beauty of his simple act. A PASSENGER ON THE NEWTON-VALLEY ELECTRIC.

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## A Mother's Way of Putting it.

(From the Richmond State.)  
"Yes, sir, my son is about to sit for his matriculation, but I must tell you that he is afflicted with a kind of infirmity—extraordinary bashfulness. He knows quite well everything that he may be asked, but he is so shy that—and then."

The examiner, with a smile betraying kindness blended with experience, replied: "And what is he particularly shy in?"

The mother, promptly: "In Greek, sir!"

## The Need was Supplied.

(From Puck.)  
Creditor—Now, I want that money. When you came to me six months ago you said you were in need of a temporary loan.  
Debtor—Not at all, I said I was in temporary need of a loan.

It is a truth in medicine that the smallest dose that performs a cure is the best. Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers are the smallest pills, will perform a cure, and are the best. Arthur Hudson, Newton; Bernard Billings, Newton Upper Falls; Walter P. Thorn, Auburndale.

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The room in which she sat contained hundreds of volumes of records; and, turning to her daughter, she said,—"My daughter, this room, as you well know, contains the records of my life's work, in which for many years you have so diligently assisted me."

"By earnest application you have compassed my methods; and it is a happiness to think that when I leave, the glorious work will, through you, go on. 'The mission is a noble one. Do as I have done: never permit a woman's appeal to go unheeded.'"

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## Legal Notices.

**STATE ELECTION,**  
NOV. 5, 1895.

**City of Newton,**



**Registration of Women,**  
1895.

Notice is hereby given that the Registrars of Voters commencing Monday, September 30, 1895, will hold sessions for the registration of voters, including women entitled to vote for school committee, and to correct and revise the Ward Lists at the City Clerk's office, City Hall, daily as follows, viz: 8:30 A. M. to 12 o'clock M.; 2 o'clock to 5 P. M.; except on Wednesday, October 16 as hereinafter stated and except Saturdays, when the hours are from 8:30 o'clock A. M. to 12 o'clock M.; also from 7:30 to 9 o'clock in the evening upon the following dates and at the places herein named:

Newton Lower Falls—Freeman Hall, Monday, September 30.  
Nonantum—Athenaeum, Tuesday, October 1.  
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City Hall, Monday, October 7.  
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Also at City Hall on Wednesday, October 16, from 12 o'clock M. to 10 o'clock P. M., which is the last session preceding the Election, November 5, and thereafter the Registrars will not, before the Election, add any names to the Register, except the names of voters examined as to their qualifications, since the preceding thirtieth day of April.

Every woman whose name is not on the Voting List as posted, must in order to be registered as a voter, appear in person before the Registrars of Voters on either of the days above mentioned to be qualified as required by law.

All naturalized citizens must present their final papers when they register.

GEORGE E. BRIDGES,  
GEORGE H. BOURNE,  
AMOS L. HALE,  
ISAAC F. KINGSBURY,  
City Hall, Newton, September 20, 1895.

**Mortgagee's Sale of Personal Property.**

To foreclose for breach of condition thereof, by virtue of power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John P. Keating to Arthur H. Nichols, dated November 20th, 1891, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex (So. Dist.) libro 2174, folio 579, will be sold at public auction on Monday, September 30th, at 3 o'clock P. M. at 122 Main Street, Winchester, Massachusetts, all the personal property described in said mortgage which the mortgagee has been able to find; the same consists among other things, of household furniture, paintings, piano, carpets, rugs, violins, desk, dining room furniture, etc.

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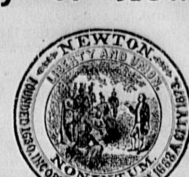
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All naturalized citizens must present their final papers when they register.

If the father of an applicant was naturalized before he (the son) became 21 years of age, the son is naturalized thereby, and must present the father's naturalization papers.

Every male citizen of 21 years of age and upwards, who has resided in the state one year, and the city of Newton six calendar months next preceding the state election, November 5, 1895, and who shall be able to read and write, shall have the right to vote at said State election.

GEORGE E. BRIDGES,  
GEORGE H. BOURNE,  
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**Real Estate.**

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by John P. Keating to Arthur H. Nichols, dated November 20th, 1891, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex (So. Dist.) libro 2174, folio 579, will be sold at public auction on Monday, September 30th, at 3 o'clock P. M. at 122 Main Street, Winchester, Massachusetts, all the personal property described in said mortgage which the mortgagee has been able to find; the same consists among other things, of household furniture, paintings, piano, carpets, rugs, violins, desk, dining room furniture, etc.

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## Railroads.

## BOSTON, REVERE BEACH &amp; LYNN R. R.

SUMMER TIME-TABLE, JUNE 24, 1895.

LEAVE BOSTON FOR LYNN AND WINTHROP at 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35 (Express) 9.05, 9.35 (Express) 10.05, 10.35, 11.05, 11.35 a. m., 12.05, 12.35, 1.05, 1.35, 2.05, 2.35, 3.05, 3.35, 4.05, 4.35, 5.05 (Express) 5.35, 6.05 (Express) 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35 and 11.30 p. m.

LEAVE LYNN FOR BOSTON at 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05 (Express) 8.35 (Express) 9.05 (Express) 9.35 (Express) 10.05, 10.35, 11.05, 11.30 a. m., 12.05, 12.35, 1.05, 1.35, 2.05, 2.35, 3.05, 3.35, 4.05, 4.35, 5.05 (Express) 5.35, 6.05 (Express) 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35 and 11.30 p. m.

## SUNDAY TRAINS

LEAVE BOSTON FOR LYNN at 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.05, 11.35 a. m., 12.05, 12.35, 1.05, 1.35, 2.05, 2.35, 3.05, 3.35, 4.05, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35, 10 and 10.30 p. m.

LEAVE LYNN FOR BOSTON at 8.55, 9.25, 9.55, 10.25, 10.55, 11.25, 11.55 a. m., 12.25, 12.55, 1.55, 2.10, 2.25, 2.40, 2.55, 3.10, 3.25, 3.40, 3.55, 4.10, 4.25, 4.40, 4.55, 5.10, 5.25, 5.40, 5.55, 6.10, 6.25, 7.05, 7.25, 8.05, 8.35, 9.30 and 10 p. m.

LEAVE BOSTON FOR WINTHROP at 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.05, 11.35 a. m., 12.05, 12.35, 1.05, 1.35, 2.05, 2.35, 3.05, 3.35, 4.05, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35, 10 and 10.30 p. m.

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Time—First car, 5.30 a. m., then 4.30, and 20 minutes to 5.45 p. m. Return 35 minutes later.

Newton and Watertown to Bowdoin Square (via Mt. Auburn St. and Harvard Sq.).

Time—First car leave Newton 5.55 a. m., 6.12 and every 15 minutes to 12.45 and 10 minutes to 9.25, 9.42, 9.57, 10.10 p. m., and 20 minutes to 10.50 p. m., last car, 11.00 p. m.

Return, leave Bowdoin Sq., 53 minutes later.

First cars from Bowdoin Square at 6.08, 6.23, 6.49 a. m., last car 11.42 p. m.

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Ashmore, Ruth. Side Talks with Girls. 54.977

"A word here and there about things that are interesting." Preface.

Bass, M. Florence. Nature Stories for Young Readers. Vol. 2, Animal Life. 101.666

Bonar, Majory, ed. Reminiscences of Andrew J. Bonar; edited by his Daughter. 94.698

The life of a Scotch minister, with many of his letters, sermons, addresses, etc.

Coleridge, Samuel Taylor. Principles of Criticism: Chapters I, III, IV, XIV-XVII. "Biographical Literature," with Intro. and Notes by Andrew J. George. 54.976

Columbia College. Studies in History, Economics, and Public Law; edited by the University Faculty of Political Science of Columbia Coll. Vols. 1-4. 85.222

Dresser, Annetta Gertrude. The Philosophy of P. P. Quimby with Selections from his Manuscripts and a Sketch of his Life. 101.529

Earle, Alice Morse. Margaret Winthrop. 91.832

This is the first volume of a new series to be called "Women of Colonial and Revolutionary Times," and depicts the life of Margaret Winthrop in England and in the Colonies.

Foster, Clement Le Neve. A Text-Book of Ore and Stone Mining. 105.503

Imbert de Saint-Amand, Arthur Leon, Baron. The Revolution of 1848. A rapid review of the events which led to the abdication of Louis Philippe, and the events which followed.

Ker, David. The Wizard King: a Story of the Last Maelstrom Invasions of Europe. 64.1531

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Pratt, Mary L., ed. Legends of Norseland. 52.583

Stoker, Bram. The Water of the Moon. 61.977

The title is the name of a little cave or harbor on the Scottish coast of the North Sea.

Sullivan, J. W. Tenement Tales of New York. 61.979

Eight stories in which the street Arab plays a prominent part.

Swettenham, Frank Athelstone. Malay Sketches. 33.458

The author portrays the character and habits of life of the Malay, and describes the scenery of the land where he has lived for twenty years.

Wallace, Lewis. Ben-Hur: eine Geschichte aus der Zeit des Herrn Jesu. 43.151

Weyman, Stanley J. From the Memoirs of a Minister of France. 64.1529

Short stories dealing with events supposed to have taken place during the reigns of Henry IV. and Louis XIII.

Wright, R. J. Principles of Social Science: a Survey of the Subject from the Moral and Theological, yet Liberal and Progressive Standpoint. 86.170

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If you have dull and heavy pains across forehead and about the eyes; if the nostrils are frequently stopped up and followed by a disagreeable discharge; if soreness in the nose and bleeding from the nostrils is often experienced; if you are very sensitive to cold in the head accompanied with headache; if you have been afflicted with catarrh; and should (immediately) resort to Ely's Cream Balm for a cure. The remedy will give instant relief.

## BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

## HARPER'S.

Harper's for October has for special features: "Hindoo and Moslem," by Edwin Lord Weeks; "At the Sign of the Balm Bough," by Henry Van Dyke; "Queen Victoria's Highland Home," by J. R. Hunter; "Three Gringos in Central America," by Richard Harding Davis; "The Future in Relation to American Naval Power," by Capt. A. T. Mahan, U. S. N.; "The German Struggle for Liberty," part four, by Poulton Bigelow; "Hearts Inseparable," part XI, by Thomas Hardy; "Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc," part VII; and three short stories—"The Coupons of Fortune," by Mary Stewart Cutting; "Alone in China," by Julian Ralph, and "Jamie the Kid," by Josiah Flynt, are included in the fiction of this number.

## THE FORUM.

The Forum for October contains The Present Aspect of the Silver Question, Hon. Charles S. Fairchild; Well-Meant but Futile Benevolence; The Remedy, Charles F. Thwing; Significance of the English Elections: A Crisis in English History, Sir Herbert Maxwell, M. P.; Causes of the Liberal Defeat, George W. E. Russell; Why, Whence, and Whither? Justin McCarthy; The Renaissance in English, Richard Burton; De-maud and Supply under Socialism, W. E. Markes; The Resuscitation of Blue-Laws, Louis Windmuller; Political Leaders of the Reconstruction Period, Ex-Senator E. G. Ross; The Actor, the Manager, and the Public, John Malone; Higher Pay and a Better Training for Teachers, Jno. Gilmer Speed.

Harper's Bazar, issued on Sept. 28th, will be characterized by a breezy outdoor feeling. A hunting costume, easily adaptable for bicycle use, will have the place of honor. Beautiful house gowns from Paris will be illustrated by Chapuis in her charming manner, and a variety of toilettes for the autumn will meet every requirement of the moment. Interesting stories and miscellany will make the Number very attractive. Notes from the several women's colleges will outline plans for the season.

Harper's Weekly will soon—probably September 28th—contain a large and handsomely illustrated supplement devoted to the forthcoming revival at Athens of the ancient Olympic Games, which will be attended by an immense concourse of athletes from all countries. The article is written by Demetrius Kalopothakes, Ph. D., the correspondent at Athens of the London Times. The article will contain a description of the restored Stadium, in which the games will be held, and views of many other examples of modern Greek architecture, and an interesting account of the circumstances leading to the re-establishment of the ancient sports. Harper & Bros., Publishers, New York.

## LITERARY NOTES.

"In Defence of the King" is the title of an American historical romance by a new writer, who is said to show great promise—Mr. Chauncey C. Hotchkiss. In this romance there is unfolded a stirring tale of patriotic adventure ranging from Lexington, the burning of Norwalk, and the British occupation of Long Island, and thrilling experiences on Long Island Sound, to Benedict Arnold's descent on New London and the massacre at Fort Griswold. It is a book to appeal to Americans as a vivid picture of Revolutionary scenes, while the love story which is interwoven will be found a singularly charming idyll. "In Defence of the King" is to be published immediately by D. Appleton & Co.

Mr. A. B. Frost has been engaged for a long time upon a series of one hundred and twelve illustrations for the original "Tales of Remus," by Joel Chandler Harris, which has been revised by the author, and is to appear shortly in new dress as one of the leading illustrated standard books of the year. It is said that the pictures, which include a gallery of negro types as well as quaint and delightful studies of Brer Rabbit and his friends, represent the most striking and original work which has been done in this field. This fascinating book is to be published shortly by D. Appleton & Co.

In order to present a satisfactory and final edition of White's classic "Natural History of Selborne," Mr. Clifton Johnson visited Selborne and secured pictures of the actual scenes amid which White's life was passed. The photographs and the drawings form in themselves a most delightful gallery of pictures of unspoiled English rural life. This new edition can not be neglected by any one who cares for Nature or for the classics of English literature. There are nearly one hundred illustrations in the two handsome volumes, with a title-page specially designed by Mr. F. W. Gookin. Messrs. D. Appleton & Co. are the publishers.

When Mr. Hall Caine reaches America he will find "The Manxman" ranking first in the current sales of fiction.

Mr. A. Conan Doyle's popularity in this country seems to be on the increase, judging from the fact that the publication day of his new novel, "The Stark Munro Letters," witnessed the exhaustion of a liberal first edition.

## Salt Rheum Cured.

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## SUFFRAGE-REFERENDUM STATE COMMITTEE.

ACT OF 1895.

ENACTED BY THE MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE JUNE, 1895.

SECTION 1. All persons qualified to vote for school committee shall, at the next state election, have an opportunity to express their opinion by voting yes or no in answer to the following question: Is it expedient that municipal suffrage be granted to women?

SEC. 2. Equal opportunity shall be given to men and women to register prior to said election.

Believing it to be for the best interest of the Commonwealth that men and women should share equally the responsibilities of its government, we hereby urge the women of Massachusetts to respond to the invitation of the Legislatures as set forth in the above Act, by registering and voting in favor of municipal suffrage for women.

And we ask all legal voters to consider seriously that, while Massachusetts is now governed by an aristocracy based strictly on sex, it is possible, by voting in the affirmative on the above Act, to ensure "a government of the [whole] people, by the [whole] people, for the [whole] people."

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## Municipal Suffrage.

Some twenty-five ladies interested in Municipal Suffrage for women met at Mrs. J. Herbert Sawyer's at Chestnut Hill, Tuesday morning, to talk over ways and means of rousing a greater interest in the matter among women, especially in getting them to register, so that they can vote at the coming election.

Weekly meetings will be held, the next being at Mrs. Walton's, West Newton, at 2.30 p. m., next Tuesday. All interested are invited to attend. A series of rallies have been planned, one of which Mrs. Laura Ormiston Chant will be the speaker.

Mrs. Sawyer is the president of the committee that has charge of the work and Miss S. A. Whitney of Newton is secretary.

Among those present were Mrs. Gilman, Mrs. Hardon and Miss Whiting of Ward Seven, Mrs. Sylvester and Mrs. Chas. Davis of Newton Centre, Mrs. J. A. Andrews of Chestnut Hill, Rev. Olin R. Miller of Lower Falls, Mrs. Lord and Mrs. Baker of Newtonville, Mrs. Pelouet of Auburndale, Mrs. W. A. Allen, Mrs. Davis and Mrs. N. T. Allen of West Newton, Rev. B. F. McDaniel of Newton Centre, Mrs. A. R. Bailey, Miss Wilder, Mrs. Tucker and Mrs. H. W. Wellington of Ward One.

## Lasell Excursions.

The first excursions of the school year for Lasell students were taken on Monday. One party went to Newport, Prof. H. L. Rich conducting; another took in Bunker Hill and the Navy Yard, and a third went to Nantasket. The first was an all day excursion, and the others occupied a half-day each. The young sightseers returned well pleased with the day's pleasure.

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## THE ROMANCE OF THE TELEGRAPH.

Some of the Odd Difficulties of Operating a Line Through Queer Countries.

A good deal of romance hovers around the means by which the world's news is gathered. The speed and accuracy with which telegraph messages are transmitted between the uttermost parts of the earth is marvelous when the conditions under which they are sometimes transmitted are considered.

The Indo-European telegraph line offers a good illustration. It runs from London to Lowestoft on the east coast of England. It then dips under the sea to Emden, on the German coast, whence it passes through Germany to the Russian frontier. From this point the wire passes by way of Warsaw, Rowno, Odessa, the Caucasus, and Tiflis to Persia, and by Tauris to Teheran, the capital of the shah's queer domain. There it joins the Indian government line which runs from the Persian capital to Bishire on the Persian gulf. Thence the wires run through Baluchistan, and complete the route by connecting at Karachi, in northern India. The operation of this immense stretch of line, passing through countries of such varying climates and general characteristics; is obviously one of much difficulty. On the snow swept steppes of Russia the wires are sometimes snapped like thread by the rapid flight of flocks of wild geese. The poles are cut down and made into firewood by the nomad tribes of the Caucasian districts, and the cunning innkeepers of Georgia seek to boom their post horse trade by deliberately creating faults in the wires. In certain parts of the mountainous regions of Asia the maintenance of the solitary line involves no little personal risk and hardship to the staff hands. Communication is often cut off by avalanches in the mountain districts, and the work of repairing after a snowfall of five or six feet is no light matter.

These mountain stations are provisioned with several months' supplies before the winter sets in, as the staff will be in touch with the rest of the world by the wire only until the spring weather opens out the passes. In these supplies are always included a liberal allowance of books and games whereby to relieve the monotony of the tedious winter exile.—New York Sun.

## THE SOUTHERN SUMMER.

It is Claimed That While Long It Is Not Oppressive.

Wrong impressions are hard to eradicate from the human mind. In the north and west it is a popular delusion that southern summers are extremely hot and oppressive, and that life here during the summer months is almost unbearable. This impression is formed upon no knowledge of the matter, but simply upon the assumption that, as we are nearer the equator, it must necessarily be much warmer than in more northern latitudes. An investigation of the records of the government weather bureau will show that there is no ground for such an assumption.

Our summers are long, but they are not unpleasant. The heat in the north and west is much more oppressive during June, July and August than in the south. Deaths from sunstroke are much more numerous there, and the heat is decidedly more sultry. Our long evenings are delightful, and a sultry night is seldom experienced. Our laborers work in the fields all day long, and suffer less from the warmth than those of the north.

In a nutshell, our summers compare favorably with those of any section of the country, and our long, pleasant, warm season is a decided advantage. Our farmers can commence to work the land long before their northern and western brothers think of beginning, and can continue to utilize it months after they have stopped. In the towns and cities the residents are exempted from heavy expenditures for warm winter clothing, and for the larger portion of the year the only fuel burned is for cooking purposes.

In comparison with the north and west, it is doubtful if our long, pleasant summer is not as far superior to their short, blistering one as our short, mild winters are to their long, frigid ones.—Montgomery (Ala.) Advertiser.

## Lawyers Who Make Their Own Wills.

Many celebrated men have neglected to settle their affairs. Ben Jonson, Dryden and Sir Isaac Newton all died intestate, Bacon insolvent, and the epitaph on Butler's monument in the abbey sufficiently explains why he and many others like him never made a will:

The poet's fate is here in emblem shown:  
He asks for bread and he receives a stone.  
"Wills," said Lord Coke, "and the construction of them do more perplex a man than any other, and to make a certain construction of them exceedeth jurisprudentium artem." An old proverb says that every man is either a fool or a physician at 40. Sir H. Halford happening one day to quote the saying to a circle of friends, Canning humorously inquired, "Sir Henry, mayn't he be both?" At any rate experience teaches that lawyers who draw their own wills sometimes make great mistakes. Sir Samuel Romilly's will was improperly worded, Chief Baron Thompson's will became the subject of chancery proceedings, while the will of Bradley, the eminent conveyancer, was actually set aside by Lord Thurlow.—Temple Bar.

## His Great Anxiety.

Athlete—Did I—break it, doctor?  
Doctor—I will be plain, sir. The arm is broken, the collar bone crushed, the skull is fractured—  
Athlete—No, no, no! The—did I—break—the—  
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#### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Ivers & Pond pianos, Farley Newton.  
—Mrs. Mary Dunn has removed to Medford.  
—Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Charles Corken. "It is a boy."  
—Miss Clara L. Stanley has gone to Gloucester for two weeks.  
—Mr. C. S. Davis has leased his house on Lake avenue to Mr. Phillip H. Butler.  
—Miss Alice Clement is at home, having passed some weeks at Magnolia.  
—Mrs. E. F. Riley is entertaining Mrs. George Peirce for a few weeks.  
—Mrs. L. C. Everett has leased the Brewster estate on Parker street.  
—The annual meeting of the Baptist society will be held this evening.  
—Mr. H. A. Bailey has rented a house on Langley road.  
—Mr. William McAskill has accepted a position with W. E. Armstrong.  
—Mr. N. O. Pope and family are at Roxbury where they will pass the winter.  
—Mr. Charles Brewster and family are passing some time in Brooklyn, N. Y.  
—Mrs. W. B. Merrill is at home, having passed the summer at Sugar Hill, N. H.  
—Miss Everett Parker is at Waverly for some weeks.  
—Mr. W. H. Palmer has removed to Somerville.  
—Mr. Shedd of Boston has taken the Pope house on Ridge avenue.  
—It is reported that Mrs. Alden Spear is slowly but surely recovering from her severe illness.  
—James McGilvery is driving Ross's station team in place of Armstrong who is now baggage master.  
—Miss Edith Hassler has accepted a position as teacher of music in Jamestown, N. Y., to which place she has removed.  
—Mr. J. J. Storrow, Jr., is at home, having passed the summer months in Europe.  
—Mrs. George Capron and daughter are in Worcester where they expect to pass the winter.  
—Mr. Edward H. Mason and family have returned from their stay at the Woodland Park Hotel.  
—Mr. Walter Armstrong has returned from a three weeks' trip in New Brunswick.  
—Quite a delegation attended the institution of Samuel Dexter Lodge 232, I. O. O. F., at Dedham Tuesday evening.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clement are at home, having passed several weeks at Camden, Maine.  
—Mr. Charles Merriam, who was injured some nights ago by being run into by a carriage, is slowly improving.  
—Rev. Dr. Mead of Rochester, N. Y., will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church next Sunday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hawkes are at Deerfield where they will remain for some weeks.  
—Mrs. Houston, formerly of Centre street, has leased a house on Walnut street.  
—Mr. W. C. Brooks and family have returned to their home on Laurel street, having passed the summer at Cataumet.  
—Prof. Shaler Matthews, who has been the guest of Mr. J. B. Matthews, has returned to his home in Chicago.  
—Tickets for the organ recital to be given by Mr. S. Emery, Oct. 8, can be had at John J. Noble's.  
—From Newton City Ordinances: Fires must not be made on the streets by anybody.  
—Dr. Dodge, a practicing physician of Natick, was here on Monday professionally.  
—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cook of Chestnut Hill left last Sunday for a short trip South, stopping at Chattanooga, Washington and New York.  
—Mr. Henry Haynie and family are boarding at Mr. Edward G. Caldwell's, Webster Court. Mr. Haynie has an office in Bray's block.  
—Mr. W. H. Barnes and family, who occupied the Pierce house during the warm season, have returned to their winter home in Boston.  
—Conductors on electric cars in the city of Newton rather ought to be able to give passengers the probable chances of connection with other electric roads.  
—The annual meeting of the Young People's Union was held Tuesday evening. Election of officers followed the reading of the various reports.  
—Mr. Herbert D. Wade and family, who have been in New Hampshire during the warm season, have returned and have leased a house on Dudley street.  
—Mr. Wells Polly, who was injured some weeks ago by an iron plate striking his ankle, is sufficiently recovered to return to his position at Richardson's.  
—There are letters in the postoffice for Tim Cockey, Mrs. Sarah A. Copp, John W. Foster, W. A. Lamb, C. A. McDonald, George Thomas, Dr. C. P. Wilson and Rev. John Walker.  
—At the Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday the pastor, Rev. E. H. Hughes, will preach in the morning. In the evening the Rev. Ezekiel Taminosian of Antioch, Syria, will deliver an address.  
—Rev. Lawrence Phelps has returned to this village and taken Mrs. Porter's house on Langley road. He formerly lived in Mr. Bray's house at the junction of Cypress and Parson streets.  
—The "Mrs. Jarley's Wax Work Exhibition," by the ladies of Trinity parish, will be given in Associates Hall, Thursday evening, Oct. 17th. Tickets will be on sale at Noble's drug store on and after Saturday of this week.  
—Mr. Ralph K. Sheppard and Mr. Arthur L. Canfield, who have passed the summer months in Europe, arrived home on Tuesday. Most of the traveling was done on bicycles, having covered about 1600 miles on their wheels.  
—The Newton Centre Cecilia Club held its first meeting of the season at the home of the president, Mrs. Bird, on Monday evening, Sept. 23. Several new laws were made and the names of four new members were proposed.  
—George W. Hayden, formerly of Athol, has been promoted from baggage master of this place to station agent at Waban. Mr. Alfred Armstrong has been appointed baggage master at the station in place of G. W. Hayden promoted.

—Unitarian Society—Service at 10:30 conducted by the pastor. Full quartet choir with Miss Strong at the organ. Sunday school at 12. Classes provided for children of all ages. The Hale Union will hold its first meeting of the season at 7:30. Addresses will be given by young people on "Our Motto," followed by conversation. A cordial welcome extended to all young people.

—The candidates for the Newton athletic association were out on the new athletic field at this place, Wednesday afternoon, practicing for their game with Brown University. Saturday, Wednesday, the team lined up against the Newton High school boys, who are working hard for their game with Brookline High today, and good work has been done on both sides.

#### NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

—Mr. E. Moulton is spending a few days in Maine.  
—The C. L. S. C. will meet next Monday with Mrs. Whittemore.  
—Mr. S. C. Cobb of Pensacola, Florida, is spending a few days at his home here.  
—Mrs. R. Whight is spending a few weeks at West Claremont, N. H.  
—Miss Grace Bryant has been spending a week in Dover.  
—Mr. W. S. Richards and family are at home from their summer stay at the south shore.  
—Mr. H. N. Carter and family now occupy the J. M. Knight house on Taffan place.  
—The death of Mrs. Sanford, who occupied a suite of rooms in Patterson's block, occurred on Thursday.  
—Miss Grace Allen, formerly of this place, and her friend, Miss Slosson, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Phipps.  
—The engagement of Miss Andelia Elizabeth Hyde of Newton to Mr. Walter Howard Nash of this place is announced.  
—Mrs. Mary J. Thomas, who has taken a house opposite the postoffice, we hear, will open a parlor for ladies' and children's hair dressing, shampooing, etc.  
—Mr. S. W. Clifford of Hillsdale street, who has rented a house of Mrs. Cobb for two or three years past, will move this week to Wellesley Hills.  
—Mr. John P. Keating has a house nearly completed on Dedham street for his own occupancy and has now started a large barn on the premises.  
—Mr. A. H. Fewkes, the florist, is making alterations in his green houses to increase his facilities for meeting the demands of his increasing business.  
—Mr. J. H. Wentworth of Eliot, lumber dealer and builder, has bought the Cole estate at the corner of Lincoln and Woodward streets, containing about 30,000 square feet of land and the building thereon.  
—Rev. G. G. Phipps delivered an original poem at Sherburne, the occasion being the 52nd birthday of Rev. Edmund Dowse, D. D., the pastor of the First Congregational church and Chaplain of the Mass. Senate for many years.  
—The Congregational Sewing Circle at their meeting on Wednesday reconsidered their action of the last meeting, whereby they voted to hold their meetings in the morning and voted to hold them in the afternoon as hereafter.

—Services will be held as usual at the Methodist Episcopal church the coming Sunday. In the morning at 10:30 the pastor will speak on the "Church at Ephesus," in the evening at 7 o'clock the subject will be "The Parable of the Pearl of Great Price." The church quartet will render selections.  
—One of the largest caucuses ever held here by the Republicans was held on Tuesday evening. Members of the A. P. A. were present in large numbers, but were not able to control the action of the caucus. The list of delegates chosen to the several conventions may be found in another column.

—Oak Lodge, A. O. U. W. of Newton Highlands, at their regular meeting, Wednesday evening, participated in the most successful exemplification of the junior workman degree the lodge ever witnessed. The ceremony was in the hands of Mr. J. H. Walton of Newton Upper Falls and Mr. Alexander Watson of Newton Centre.

#### NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

—Mrs. Bakeman's house on Winter street is undergoing extensive repairs.  
—Daniel Hurley has returned from his trip to Chattanooga and other points south.  
—Rev. Mr. Fellows has been spending a few days in Lynn.  
—There are letters in the postoffice for Charley Ball and Harry Ford.  
—Miss Annie Sullivan of Boston is visiting Mrs. R. T. Sullivan of Eliot street.  
—The Quinquin Association Bowling Alley will reopen Saturday night.  
—Contractor Beals is engaged in the erection of a new store shed for the Newton Rubber Co.  
—Edward V. Sullivan has returned from his vacation trip and resumed his duties at the Newton Rubber Co.  
—At 5 o'clock Tuesday morning a newly finished house on Worcester street, on the Wellesley side, was burned to the ground.  
—Charles Miner has returned from a shooting trip in Maine. He reports excellent luck and has brought back some good evidence of it in the shape of some fine deer meat.

—Among those who have recently entered the employ of the Dudley Hosiery Co. at this place are Miss Annie Brennan and Miss Mary Sullivan of Boylston, corner of Chestnut street.  
—Abiah Edes, for 40 years a resident of this place, died at his home on Chestnut street Sunday morning. The funeral was held Tuesday morning from the house and conducted by Rev. F. T. Whitman. The interment was at Needham.  
—Mr. Charles McKenna, at the Boston Water Works, entertained a party of his Boston friends Sunday by a trolley ride from this place to Saxtonville. Among the guests were a number of Boston city officials. The roads were in excellent condition and the drive a most enjoyable one.

—Hiram Knapp, one of the oldest and best known residents of this place, died at his home on Chestnut street Friday evening at the age of 75. The deceased was a charter member of the Home Lodge, I. O. O. F., which order conducted the funeral services. Rev. Mr. Fellows officiated and the interment was at the Newton cemetery.

There is quite a little complaint among some of the residents of this place regarding the condition of Winter and Chestnut streets. They say that the heavy rains in the first part of the summer left the roads in a bad shape and that nothing has been done towards repairing them. These two streets are the most traversed of any in the village and most certainly need looking after.

—Officer McKenzie made a good haul Saturday evening. He had three "jolly fellows" in tow and was escorting them to the patrol box when another one stepped from the train and endeavored to free the prisoners. It did not take long for the officer to show the young man he was in the wrong and upon his arrival he bundled the quartet into the patrol wagon.

—Mrs. Hopkins and her son, Mr. William Hopkins, news-editor of the Boston Globe, have arrived home from the west.  
—The Crebore mills are partly closed on account of a slackness in business.  
—Mr. Hinckley, employed as wheelwright by Alexander, has moved into the Atherton house.  
—Officer Talmer arrested a man for

#### NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—Officer Harrison is taking his annual two weeks vacation.  
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—Mr. Hinckley, employed as wheelwright by Alexander, has moved into the Atherton house.  
—Officer Talmer arrested a man for

drunkenness Sunday evening, he having imbibed too freely in Natick stimulants.

—Mr. Sherman N. Sears, druggist, has become a member of the I. O. O. F., having taken the preliminary degrees at the Wellesley lodge.

—Part of the Monagan house is being fitted for Mr. Henry Vyett, who will occupy it when repairs are completed, for his tonsorial business.

—The electric did a thriving business Saturday afternoon conveying passengers up the road, who would have had a long delay by the wreck on the B. & A. at Ansburda, but for this convenience.

—Two houses in process of construction on the new pond road near the Upper Falls line, have been destroyed by fire within two weeks, the last one being fired Tuesday morning, about 4 o'clock. No alarm was rung in for either of the fires as the buildings were doomed when fires were discovered. Both were incendiary.

—Next Monday evening, Sept. 30, is the night appointed for the Newton women of this place to register near home. They can register at Freeman Hall from 7:30 to 9, and at the coming state election vote "yes" or "no" on the question, "Is it expedient that municipal suffrage be granted to women?"

#### NONANTUM.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting Sunday was led by Fred Feary.

—Miss Lizzie Frye has returned from Buxford, where she has been visiting.

—Work has been again commenced on Wm. Grace's new block on Adams street.

—George and Herbert Murphy are attending boarding school in Vermont.

—A swinging sign in black and gold hangs over the portal of police station 2.

—Many thanks Mr. Postmaster for the letter box on Kilburn's drug store. Useful as well as ornamental.

—So large is the attendance at the parochial school that two more rooms have been fitted up for pupils' use.

—Dr. Calkins preached at the North Evangelical church, Sunday evening, taking for his subject, "I am an ambassador in bonds."

—Hose Eight was stationed at Hose One's house during the latter's absence from Newton to the Brighton fire, Sunday afternoon.

—Rev. J. L. Evans and family of Derry, Mass., are visiting friends here. Mr. Evans is a former pastor of the North Evangelical church, and is receiving many old acquaintances.

—Commencing next Sunday meetings for men only will be held at the North Evangelical church at 1:30 p. m. Prominent speakers will be present at each gathering and deliver an address.

—An eleven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Sheridan of Chapel street died Sunday evening, after a very sudden attack as she attended church in the morning and came home feeling well, but was taken suddenly ill in the afternoon, and passed away soon after.

—A student at the parochial school, a bright scholar. The funeral was held from the Church of Our Lady, Wednesday morning.

—In court Friday, Katherine Mullen charged with maintaining a liquor nuisance, was fined \$10, and given four months in the House of Correction, from which sentence she appealed. The case of Mr. Main charged with being an accessory of a drunken driver, was discharged. Patrick McGauley was arrested Sunday for disturbing the peace and fined \$10 in court Monday morning. Monday night John O'Brien and Daniel Purcell were arrested for drunkenness. Tuesday night Anna Campbell was taken in for drunken disturbance.

—The Newton cricket team entertained the Rocklands on their grounds, Watertown street, Saturday afternoon. The home team made 30 runs during their innings, but with five wickets down the Rocklands refused to play further, and protested the game. Howard was wicket keeper for the Newtons. Taylor of the Rocklands hit the ball and started to run. Gerraughy of the Newtons captured the ball, and throwing it, struck wicket. Howard made no attempt to stop the ball, and it was a perfect ball. The Newtons finished running and Howard called for judgment. The umpire called Taylor out. The Rocklands claimed the decision should have been made before the men had run, and so protested the game. The Newtons claimed the game.

#### Slade-Burgess.

A wedding of great interest to Chestnut Hill people, as well as to the society people of Brookline and Boston, as that of Miss Elizabeth Slade, daughter of Dr. D. D. Slade of Chestnut Hill and T. P. Burgess of Dedham, which was solemnized at noon Wednesday at the Unitarian church in Brookline, by Rev. F. B. Hornbrook of Newton.

The ushers were Gordon Dexter, A. W. Wheelright, Edward Slade, G. S. Mumford and Elisha Flagg, 2nd.

The bride, a handsome brunette, stately and tall, advanced on the arm of her father to the altar where she was met by the groom, who was attended by his brother, G. E. Burgess.

The bride was richly gowned in ivory tinted duchess satin, with a slight full train.

A veil of rare old rose point was fastened in her hair with a cluster of orange blossoms, and a spray of the same flowers was caught at the belt. She carried a large bouquet of lilies of the valley.

The only attendant of the bride was Miss Henrietta Slade, who looked very lovely in a dainty gown of white muslin, with insertion and lace. Upon her fair hair was a coronet of white flowers, and she carried a bouquet of maiden-hair ferns.

There were many present from Newton and from many other out of town places. The most intimate friend of the bride, Mrs. Victor Sorchan (Miss Hunnebell), came up from Newton. She was beamingly gowned in a changeable taffeta of plum and dark green, with applique lace.

The mother of the bride was elegantly gowned in black velvet and lace; she was accompanied by two of her daughters in lavender and pink silk.

Mrs. Jack Gardiner was among the earliest to arrive. Her gown of white taffeta silk with narrow black stripes was, as usual, elegant simplicity. She wore a small white hat of chiffon and lace, with a white face veil finely embroidered.

Miss Edith Cushing in a dainty flower-like costume.

Mrs. Gordon Dexter wore a handsome gown of black and white striped silk with a pointed yoke and silver spangled chiffon.

Mrs. Brockholst and the Messrs. Brockholst from Newport were present, as was also Woodbury Kane who sailed with the Defender.

After a wedding breakfast and reception at the residence of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Burgess started on their wedding journey.

Their future home is to be at Berlin Falls, N. H.

At the reception were seen a large representation of Chestnut Hill, Brookline and Boston people.

#### High School Tennis.

All the matches of the High school tournament are now completed with the exception of the finals in doubles, mixed doubles and consolation. In the finals in singles played Tuesday W. P. Wise, '96, had little difficulty in winning three straight sets from Cummings. The latter is a new man in the school and has made an excellent showing. All the other matches were exceptionally well played, Hollis and Lee making an excellent showing by defeating Andrews and Leonard in semi-final doubles. Following is the score of games:

SINGLES.  
SEMI-FINALS.  
Wise beat Lee.....6-3, 3-6, 6-3  
Cummings beat Andrews.....6-4, 4-6, 6-1

Wise beat Cummings.....6-3, 7-5, 7-5  
Cummings beat Andrews.....6-3, 7-5, 7-5

LADIES' SINGLES.  
1st Round.  
Miss Bond beat Miss Macomber.  
Miss Wilder beat Miss Brewer.  
Miss Holmes beat Miss Edmonds.

2nd Round.  
Miss Bond beat Miss Rowe.  
Miss Wilder beat Miss Holmes.

FINALS.  
Miss Wilder beat Miss Bond.  
DOUBLES.  
SEMI-FINALS.  
Cummings and Hollis beat Whitmore and Garrison.....6-4, 4-6, 6-3  
Lee and Hollis beat Andrews and Leonard 6-2, 6-4

MIXED DOUBLES.  
Leonard and Miss Holmes beat Armstrong and Miss Pond.....6-5, 5-6, 6-3  
Walworth and Miss Macomber beat Lippincott and Miss Rowe.....6-3, 6-3

#### REAL ESTATE NEWS.

George H. Ward has sold for the Newton boulevard syndicate 11,500 square feet of land on the corner of Grant and Commonwealth avenues to Georgia A. Chapman, who will erect at once a dwelling house for her own occupancy, to cost about \$6000.

Aban, Trowbridge & Co. have sold two more lots of 5000 feet each on the Barker estate, to A. C. Remick, who has started his fifth of these pretty 7 room houses, with hot water heating, open fire places, electric attachments, etc., which Aban, Trowbridge & Co. have now sold to an investor who places them on the market for sale. They have rented 23 Waverley avenue, formerly occupied by Mr. Benj. Thayer, to Mrs. Everett of Richardson street; also 44 Thornton street, to Mrs. Bentley, formerly from Washington street; also 57 Morse street to Mrs. Jones of Ansburda.

The property in Wellesley, near Wales street, Newton Lower Falls, sold at auction by Elliot J. Hyde, was purchased by Mary Mullaney for \$2000. It was owned by the Bernard Falla estate, and consists of a house, a stable and 2000 square feet of land.

Nathan Crocker has sold for Henry B. Day a building lot on Fairfax street, West Newton, containing 18,492 square feet to William P. Morse of Weston. Mr. Morse will at once build for himself a nice dwelling house on this lot. This neighborhood is fast building up. Two pretty houses are being finished on Sterling street, another on Berkeley street, and foundations are in for large dwellings on Sewall street and on the corner of Sterling and Fairfax streets.

#### Unpleasant Commendation.

(From Puck)  
Mr. Popleigh (angry at child showing his disobedience before visitor)—You are the most disobedient, wicked boy I ever saw; leave the room! (Insistently to his wife.) He doesn't take after me, I never was disobedient.

Mrs. Popleigh (angry at having her offspring shown up before strangers.)—No, indeed! (to visitor.) Why, Mr. Brown, Mr. Popleigh would no more think of disobeying me than he would think of dying!

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